

Matt, we've been friends
for a long time, and I
hope it stays that way.
Have a terrific summer.

See Ya Next Year.



Love Ruth
'81

Matt, it's been
nice knowing you. Long live
good luck in the Osprey!!
What you do in life
have a fun one.
Love
Theresa

Matt, I wish I knew
you better. Stay
the way you are.
Love
Vicki

Matt,
you're a great
person. I'll be
you next year. Have
a good summer.
Love
Dana

Hi Matt
I'm glad that you
came to me for help.
Made me feel loved.
Love
Tami

Matt,

Another dull year's passed
But we got through it. I
wish we could of been better
friends this year but I guess
things grew apart. Well I
doubt it if I'll be here
next year. Try & have a
great summer. I'll be
thinking about you.
Love Always,

Rachel

Matt.

Well it is
nice to have a
friend and have a
new one along with.
I had some of good times
but we had some boring
ones. We made some of the
best together and we have
get to go. Well only thing the
summer. We only thing the
will. So but I have better
always. Good luck to you
this summer. Love
always
Ran

Matt,
your a week
person and I'm
glad I got to know
you have a nice summer
and a nice forever

Matt,
I hope you have a
great summer. I'll be
thinking about you.
Love Always,
Rachel

Matt,
I hope you have a
great summer. I'll be
thinking about you.
Love Always,
Rachel



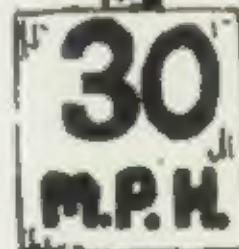
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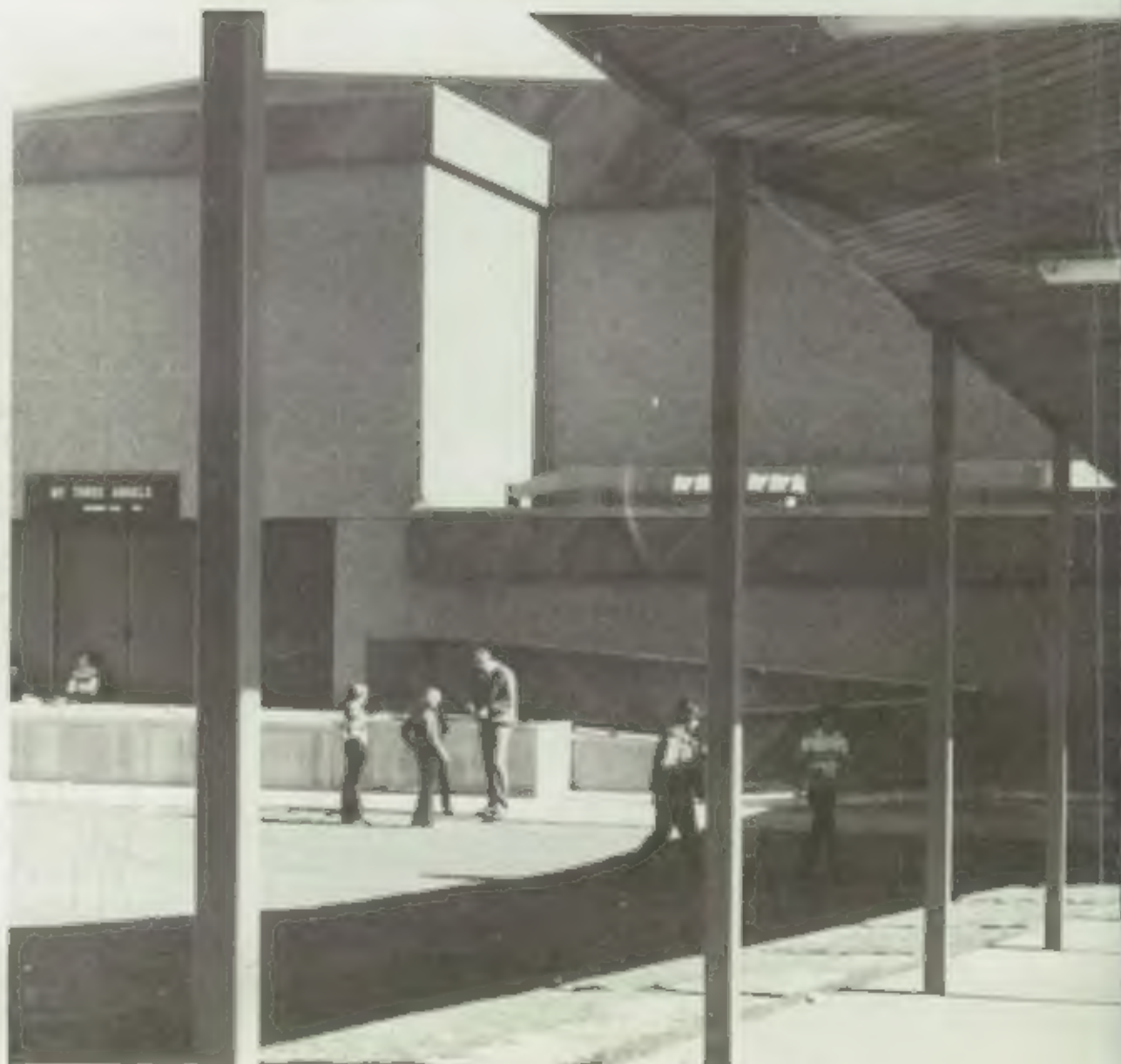
*Met.
your a sweet
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great summer.
Have a
fun Barbie
Dorley
Hardy*



Turning Corners



Have you decided what you're going to do after school? It's just around the corner, and the doors of happiness and success are there just for the opening. In our short but seemingly endless six year at Mountain Empire, we make many decisions, some good, and some to learn by. We hope to achieve all the goals we set for ourselves, and some set by others. The decision of what to do after school is endless. Is there a very special person? Marriage? Are you headed for an active career? College? Maybe you have a job lined up? It's a tough decision. Make the right one — and be happy!



In Life And

Time

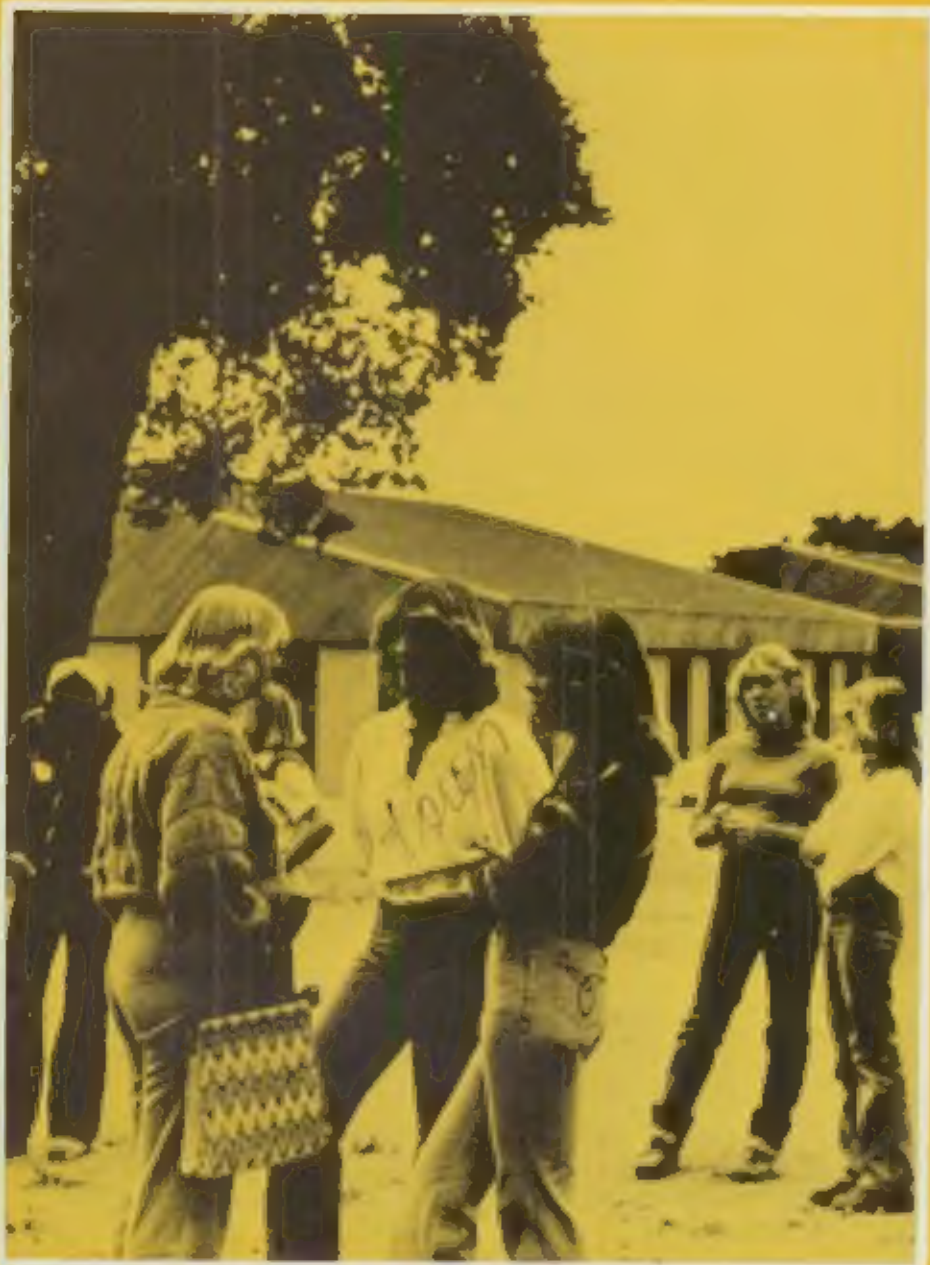
Making Decisions

Matt
to a really
nice guy even
though I don't
know ya too
well. See ya
next year
fare,
Valerie



Tumbling And Falling





But Rising Again



A rumpled sheet of brown paper about the length and apparent bulk of a man

Rolling slowly with the wind over and over in the streets of a town

A car drove down upon it and crushed it to the ground

Unlike a man it rose again rolling with the wind over and over to be as it was before.

Learning To Lose



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Thank You



Living in the Mt. Empire area has many advantages. The opportunity to own and raise your own animals is one that many students, living in other communities, may never have

Pictured is Michelle Harper who has been raising sheep for many years. She became interested in sheep through 4-H. 4-H has taught her the correct way to care for, groom, and show her animals. There are many hours spent feeding and caring for the animals. This is done long before the show. When show time nears much time is needed to prepare the animal. After school and before doing homework there is washing the sheep, trimming their feet, shearing their bellies, carding, trimming and packing the wool. If a good job is done, the reward is a blue ribbon and a good price for your lamb if he is to be sold. Michelle's sheep project is a lot of work and fun for her. It is also a business she hopes to pursue after she graduates from school.

Pictured is Freya Renaker and her horse Miss Julie. Freya has owned horses since she was thirteen years old. She has been competing in horse shows for three years. Here you see Freya competing in the "trail horse" class at a local horse

show. The "trail horse" class is one of the most difficult classes. To compete in a trail class, your horse must have extensive training and a calm disposition. The rider must be trained to have the know how to manipulate the horse over and through the many difficult obstacles. This is not an easy task and takes many years of training for both the horse and rider.

Lucy Tulloch has lived in the Mt. Empire area all her life, on the family ranch. Lucy joined 4-H when she was nine years old. During this period of time, she has participated in many events and fairs, and has shown her beef project at its best. Lucy has been observed on many occasions, grooming and trimming her beef project, preparing for the show and the competition. Showing a full grown, spirited, Tulloch beef is no easy job, however she makes the task look simple to the observer. Lucy exhibited the grand champion beef at the 1977 East County Jr. Fair. She accomplished all this finess and experience while in 4-H and by actual experience on the family ranch.

Last but not least our editor takes a spill while showing Drag-ster Day, Oh well, we do lose a few too!



And Learning To Win

Learning To Love



Are **you** a favorite person of someone in this school? Did **you** see any of these popular movies? Are **you** a rowdie an intellectual a jock? Who is **your** favorite teacher? Is **your** favorite song on this list? These are the answers to the questions we asked the student body here at M.E.

1 What was your favorite movie this year? Animal House, Rocky II, Alien, Superman "10", Up in Smoke, Amityville Horror, Smokey and the Bandit, MoonRaker, When a Stranger Calls, Grease, Phantasm, Love at First Bite, The Onionfield, Brian's Song, Breaking Away, "Oh God", Dirt, Winds of Change, The Promise, and The Apple Dumpling Gang Rides Again

2 Who is your favorite singing group? Led Zeppelin, Cheap Trick, Ted Nugget, Fleetwood Mac, Bee Gees, Donna Summer, The Knack, Dr. Hook, Rolling Stones, Jacksons, Super Tramp, Aerosmith, Van Halen, Kansas, Cars, Boston, Commodores, Styx, E.L.O., Lynard Skynard, Little River Band, Bob Seegar, Foreigner, Foghat, Kiss, or The Eagles

3 What kind of music do you like? Rock, Disco, Hard Rock, Mellow, Pop Rock, Soft Rock, and Country/Blue Grass

4 What were your two favorite

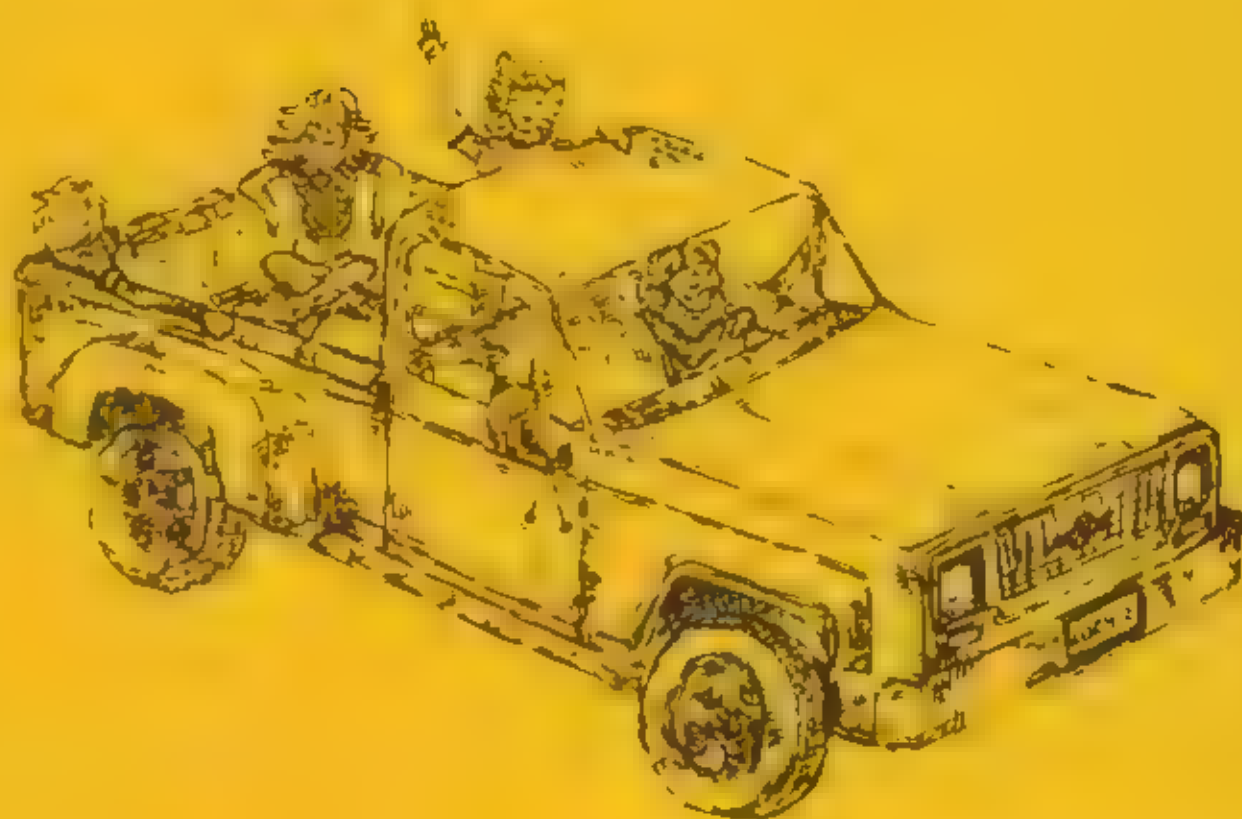


songs? Sad Eyes Black Dog My Sharona Stairway to Heaven Reunited, Heartache Tonight, Pop Music, Good Girls Don't, Lead Me On, I'll Never Love This Way Again If You're Only Lonely Renegade Don't all the Lights Heart of Glass The Devil's Coming to Georgia Lovin' Touchin' & Squeezin', Lonesome Loser and Big Shot

5 Which is your favorite TV show? Mork and Mindy Dukes of Hazard Saturday Night Live Happy Days, California Fever Dallas, Crip's Eight is Enough B.I. and the Bear, One Day at a Time Charlie's Angels Lavern & Shirley Three's Company Starskey and Hutch and Sha Na Na

6 Who is your favorite person? Jimmy Carter Miss Scott, Mr. Bida, Eric Estrada Mr. Davidson Mrs. Mansir Mr. Vaughn, and many fellow classmates. The late great John Wayne was also popular.

7 What is your favorite class? P.E., English and Science



1980 Mountain Empire High School. Remember all the good times. Were you a senior? freshman? Was there a special person? Always trying to find the new shirt or hairstyle in the crowd? A familiar smile at your locker? It wasn't that long ago was it? And... what about next year?

And Learning To Share



The year of '80 brought many new students and ideas to Mountain Empire. This year our school's enrollment is five hundred seventy five. Our yearbook staff has made the rounds and talked to many different people, getting their opinions and comments on our school and it's activities. Mike Lowermore is one of our new seventh graders in the school. Here are some of his comments. "I really enjoy the sports. I think the Junior High has alot of spirit and we have been showing it at all the pep rallies and assemblies. I think the discipline at our school is necessary, but it is a pain. I like school better with the high-schoolers in it, but no one cares or respects the Junlor High kids at all." Among the many newcomers to the school is Tammy Chavez, a sophomore this year. Our interview with her brought out a few of the feelings of a new student in our school, "I like photography, it's my favorite class. I also like drama. The teachers are great, the students are nice, the schedule is O K. but the food has alot to be desired, I think it's weird to have the Junior High in the same school, it's very different. I think the school is easier than some, also you can smoke, which you can't do down town. You can also chew, which is against the rules downtown. Also, less classes are required, and less classes are offered. I think it's a bummer that all the people live so far away, and phone bills are so expensive. I am proud to be one of the Mighty Redskins, I think our teams are doing really good."

"The students are alright, the classes are pretty good, but there needs to be more offered, especially electives. The sports are great because we have alot of good athletes at this school. I really enjoy being on the Redskins team, the students support us in every way," reports David Guzman







After being involved in education, and also associated with the schools and students for over fifteen years, Mr. Schwartz, we found, has been with Mountain Empire for ten years, and the last three he has been our Vice Principal. Did you know it was Mr. Schwartz himself that put in our whole sprinkler system during his spare time? Mr. Schwartz feels that for so many different societies in and around our school, we do a darn good job in keeping things together.

Knowing The Warmth Inside When We Care



Danny found what he was looking for!
Mr. Schramm, (after a nervous break down)
. Tony and Troy doing an imitation of guess who????
One of M E.'s close neighbors.

That You're Trying

The seventh grade class of Mountain Empire Junior-Senior High School, enter their first year of junior high with much enthusiasm and expectation. This group of students comes from seven different elementary schools; Jacumba, Boulevard, Campo, Potrero, Descanso, and Mt. Laguna.

Students who range from age eleven to thirteen, must adjust to a very different schedule, than they have been accustomed to in the past. They have six different teachers, compared to only one a year which they had in elementary school. They must learn to get from one class to another in four min-

utes. Although this is sometimes difficult for some they feel they have much more freedom and privileges than they had in grade school.

Some of the students with whom we talked found that the first weeks were a bit scary but exciting. They like the freedom and activities in which they are involved and enjoy the new surroundings.

Since the junior high is also located on the senior high campus many of the junior high students get a chance to mingle and make friends with some of the senior high. One advantage of the

two schools being one if they find out early what will be expected of them when they become, high school students.

The seventh grade class shares equal privileges and activities with the eighth graders, together they form the junior high.

The junior high is also allowed the privilege of participating in some high school activities. They are allowed to come to the pep rallies during school periods, and also to most of the assemblies that are put on by the organizations.



The eighth grade class have about as much energy and enthusiasm as they did when they entered seventh grade. They like and want to be involved. This year the junior high A.S.B. consists of all eighth grade students. The officers are: Terri Mitchel, president; Tracy Jordan, vice-president; Joel Swanson, secretary; Debbie Keating, Treasurer; and Joey Thomas, sargent at arms. These students represent both the seventh and eighth grade students on the junior high A.S.B. board, they are informed on what the seventh and eighth graders want in respect to activities during their school year.

The junior high A.S.B. sponsored many exciting and fun projects and activities for their student body. They like to have several dances throughout the year, and had a Halloween dance where most of the students dressed up in costumes. They were allowed in at no charge if they wore a costume. They had a slave auction and also dues were paid to help raise money.

The eighth graders plan to go on a field trip to Sea World as part of their graduation celebration. Mrs. Mansir and Mr. Buda are the advisors this year for the junior high student body. They

are two special people who give up their time and effort to have a worthwhile year for these students.

Junior high is an exciting and difficult time of life and we the staff wish them success and happiness throughout their next few years of school.



Junior high A S B officers Joe Swanson secretary Terri Mitchel president, Debbie Keating treasurer Joey Thomas sargent at arms Tracy Jordan, vice president



JUNIOR HIGH



- 1) Shyest, Valerie Lobaugh, Ceasar Garcia
- 2) Cutest Smile, Debbie Keating, Ronnie Brookshire
- 3) Most Athletic, Tracie Jordan, Micheal Ortmier
- 4) Cutest Eyes, Tamy Souza, Jimmy Mady
- 5) Most Talkative, Renee Coney, Charlie Bystricky
- 6) Best Dressed, Gloria Mendoza, Chad Lyle
- 7) Best All Around, Terri Mitchel, Joey Thomas



This Year Some Of Our Outstanding 8th Graders Show Future Promise . . .



- 1) Class Clown, Kelly Jeffries,
Earl Harkness
- 2) Best Personality, Joelle
Swanson, Stanley Looney
- 3) Biggest Flirt, Barbara Baker,
Bryan Stark
- 4) Most Likely To Succeed,
Geenie Deerman, Jim Simon-
ton

The New 7th Grader's



David Abbott



Frank Alhouse



April Anglin



Enriqueta Ayala



Deanna Bailey



Stephen Baker



Marcus Batey



Michael Batey



Deborah Burkhardt



Kenneth Cantrell



Sean Carter



Scott Casinger



Cline Chapman



Lori Clifford



Bernadine Cole



Aaron Cox



Karen Curr



Michael Darnell



Trisha Dart



Michael Davis



Timothy DeMembrum



Dorrie Dickinson



Lonna Durland



Brianna Elmore



Alfredo Erdakos



Dixeen Essex



Jack Frank



Desiree Frederick



Scott Futrell



April Garst





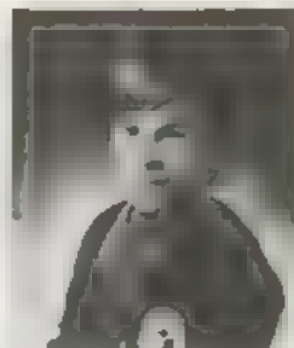
"Hi There"

Shy? Perhaps. Junior High students at the dance on November 2nd, were a bit neverously shy about dancing with fellow classmates. Gradually, they did come to life, as the floor slowly but surely filled up with rhythmic bodies

A birthday was also celebrated on this occasion. The lucky girl was Darlene Munoz who turned thirteen. She was undoubtly embar rassed though pleased when some of the teachers present, and her friends sang "Happy Birthday" to her.



Richard Gordon



Todd Gould



Juan Guzman



Shawn Harper



Tonya Harvey



Troy Hatfield



Sarah Hendrickson



Deanna Hernandez



Michael Hernandez



Tim Hurley



Jeffery Jones



Michael Jordon



Robert Joles



Valerie Kemp



Brian Kerns



Rachel Kinzie



Jennifer Landry



Gloria Lopez



Jason Loudenback



Michael Lowinmore



Albert Mactas



Krista Marino



Stella McClelland



Melissa Miller



Rosa Montalvan



Michelle Morris

Only Five More Years To Go!



Tonya Mummert



Donna Olson



Peter O'Mara



Jeff Ortmeier



Anthony Pemper



Wendy Phillips



Shannon Pinkham



Gene Ponchot



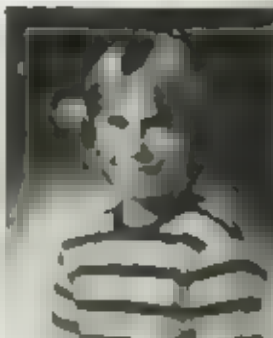
Robby Prater



Lisa Rahiser



Lauren Ridley



Chuck Ritter



Gina Ruiz



Ron Sada



"The Next Dustin Hoffman"



Bobby Sanchez



Martha Sappington



Janice Simmons



Lauren Simonton



Tina Souza



Robert Sparks



William Stinson



Phil Thearle



Arney Thomson



Dirk Thomson



Maria Valdivia
Charles Woodward



Nanette Van Meter
Preston Working



Eric Vinson



Rebecca Waggoner



Michelle Watson



Jeff Whitmyer



Michael Worthy



Walter Yuhl

Eighth Grade

Moving On Up . . .



Marcelle Anderson



Victor Ayala



Barbara Baker



Amy Bauers



Bonnie Birdsell



Ronald Brookshire



Charles Bystricky



Chris Campbell



Scott Campbell



Paula Carpenter



Rena Chambers



Renee Coney



Armida Cota



Martha Deerman



Dario Deerman



Robert Dover



Bret Fidler



Darryl Foster



Lorie Fotland



Cesar Garcia



Michael Giamanco



Kelly Gleeson



Mana Goday



Enrique Gonzales



Fausto Gonzales



D'Wayne Gordy



Earl Harkness



Paula Herrell



John Hess



Danette Higley



Mary Hofstad



Lydia Horn



Kelly Jefferies



Keith Johnson



Patty Joles



Tracie Jordon



Mark Kantas



Debbie Keating



Toni LaChapelle



Warren Liebelt



Stanley Lonney



Melissa Lopez



Chad Lyie



James Mady



Margarita Mattson



Sandra McCain



William McCain



Rodney McGalliard



Cheryl McGlagan



Gloria Mendoza



Teri Mitchel



Chris Monigold



Jeff Morrison



Darlene Munoz



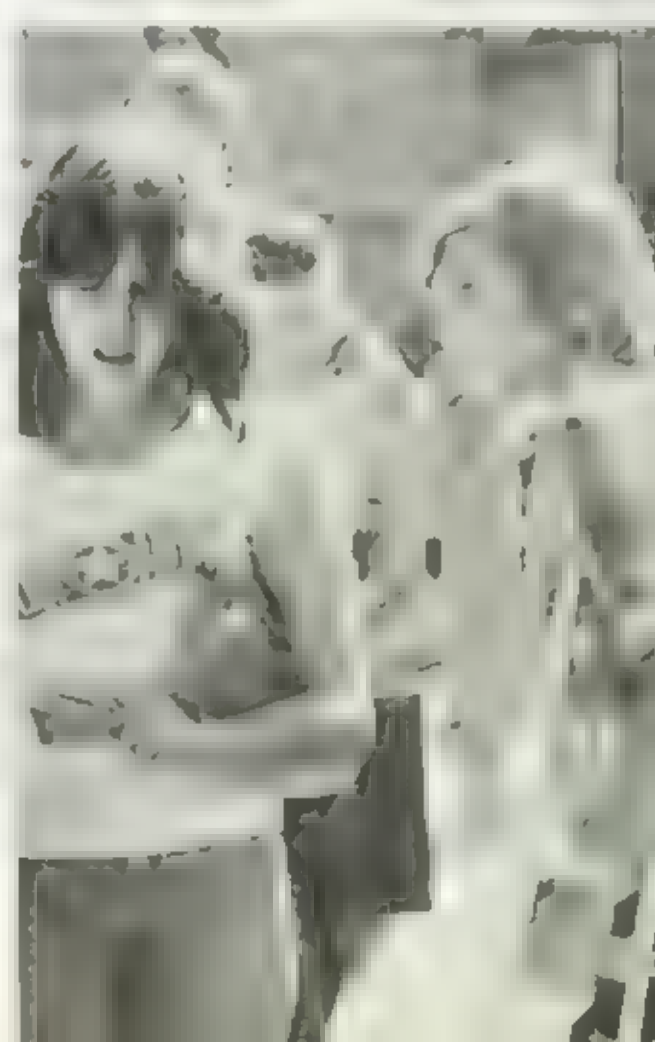
Lucinda Neuman



Steven Nichols



Shawn Nunn



Lower Right: "don't talk to me like that!"

Moving Up And Around Over And Down



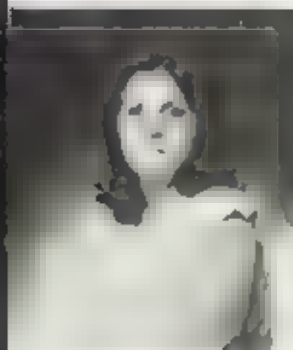
Michael Ortmeir



Charles Pember



Jay Pember



Darcy Ponchot



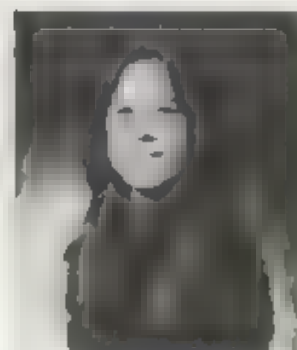
Ruby Rosco



Sean Richmond



John Ruise



Rhonda Saiger



David Sanders



Joyce Sareana



Annette Sargent



James Sayre



Garth Shull



James Simonton



Tammy Souza



Bryan Stark



Dwayne Swadley



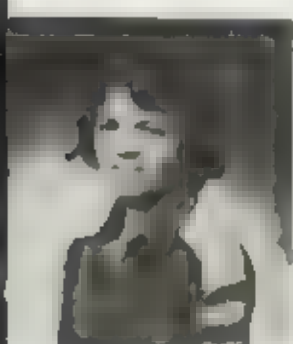
"What?"



Joelle Swanson



Joey Thomas



David Thompson



Connie Tollard



William Trout



Lora Velarde



Maria Villapando



Mary Ward



Lisa Weisiger



Yolanda Woodruff



Helen Woodward



James Yoder



This year the Freshman class is very active with school activities. It can be readily seen that this class is going to enjoy school

Many of the Freshman are involved in boy's and girl's sports, and have shown a keen interest in school spirit and the agony that goes with it

One of the main goals of the Freshman class is to plan for future activities. These will help this class be prepared for the Junior-Senior prom, which is the ultimate goal for underclassmen. They sell pretzels, run raffles, shine shoes, polish cars, sponsor dances, sell baked goods, and pay class dues

The transition of becoming a Freshman is that of more involvement and enthusiasm as they become part of the high school student body. They are now allowed to be participants in any high school activity

Most Freshmen we talked to said high school involved a lot more activities than Junior High. Although the two schools are on the same campus, they feel there is a division between the two. A freshman is "High School" now and you are considered a more mature and creative person. You become more involved in people and things around school





THE FRESHMEN



The Freshmen



Andrea Abraham



Jose Acosta



Karen Anderson



Sheri Arcara



Rich Bailey



Just because you got an "A" Tom



Middy Ballard



Brent Beene



Don Bittle



Floyd Buckwalter



Pee Wee Cadwailader



Lewis Carpenter



Laurie Cioffi



Karl Clyde



Paul Coartney



Debbie Coney



Monica Cox



George Creamer



Wendy Dart



Catherine Davis

Are Moving



Carol Defelice



Laura Demeduk



Annette Felton



Matt Fisher



Jodie Fotland



David Fowler



Alejandro Garcia



Laura Gomez



Patty Grady



Saharina Gutierrez



Tim Hammers



Wanna' hear my new joke?



Tom Harkness



Art Hernandez



Jessica Hicks



Tony Hill



Danny Hodges



Stacie Jaggi



Tina Joles



Chris Keating

Up

Up



Jeff Kite



Don Krashowetz



Doug Lane



Robert Lowe



Steve Macias



Jackie Mady



Doyle Marceau



Cherie Matesz



Andrea Maus



Anthony McClelland



Julie Metivier



Kim Miller



Bob Minnick



Kevin Morgan



Tami Mummert



Not Again!



Ronnie Munn



Crystal Noblin



Mike Munsey



Mark Packard



Marley Packard



Dayne Paris



Elizabeth Payan



Ace Pierson



Janet Ritter



Leave me alone, I'm thinking!



Anna Ponchot



Renae Rock



Kathleen Runyan



Mary Stoba



Stacey Swift



Kelly Sayatovich



Cindi Schlumpberger



Leslie Starling



Janice Thomas



Terrie Tucker



Kelly and Tammy requesting their favorite songs



Mike Vancamp



George Vander Wal

And Beyond



Jennifer Van Meter



Kane Vick



Kathy Waggoner



Charles Ward



Jimmy Ward



Tim Washburn



Barbie West



Cheryl White



Ginger Wilkinon



Allan Wood



Jon Woods



The Limits



The Freshman Class of 1980 is uniquely one of a kind. As far as success in planning activities goes, they have it. Following thorough on all activities planned shows that the class has more than just school spirit. The students are enthusiastic, show determination where academics are concerned, and have pride in themselves and their beloved alma mater. Keeping up with these Freshmen is not an easy task. In the month of November, they created and sold Turkey Awards for Thanksgiving. Just what exactly is a Turkey Award? Well, it is a telegram message you send to your friends stating why they are turkeys and upon receiving them are further embarrassed by the fact that this is stated in front of their entire class. During December, Miss Scott, the class advisor, along with the class officers, held a candy guessing contest in which for one dime you had a chance at winning the whole jar of candy, by guessing the actual amount of candy the jar contained. Both of these activities alone brought in a large amount of money, proving our activities are super great and it isn't hard to see why the Freshman Class is looking forward to three more successful years in making the class of 1983 one of the best Mt. Empire has ever seen.



Hey! Look at us. We are the Sophomores and we have spirit! We are the winners of the rowdiest spirit yell ever heard, and with our loud voices, which our football players helped out with, we won the spirit yelling contest that was held on October 18th in the Mountain Empire's own squad area

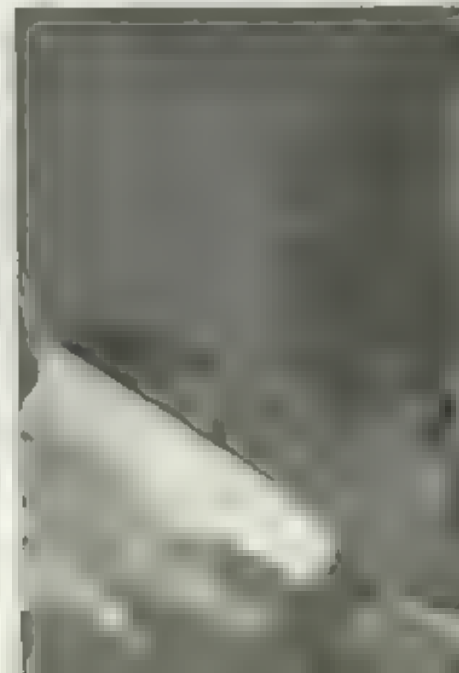
The Sophomore class of 1979-1980, are doing a fantastic job. We have participated in many activities such as the Homecoming Olympics, the spirit contest, girls and boys sports, and money raising functions. Our class has done this because we want to be the best Sophomore class in the history of Mountain Empire.

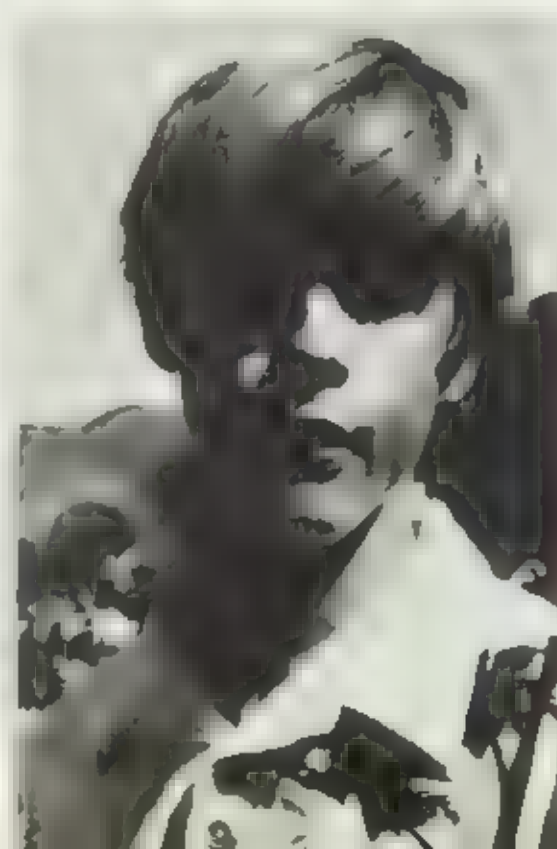
We are great in sports. More than half of the Junior Varsity football players are Sophomores and many of them made the Varsity squad, for example. Mike Fowler, Chuck McGuffie, Sherman Looney and Dan Raybould Keep up the good work Sophomores.

Many of the Sophomores have been friendly classmates since grammar school. We will remember the past as the good old days when we were kids

But Sophomores also have a goal, to pay for the Junior-Senior prom next year. The money raising functions help pay for this major event. One is the \$1.98 Beauty Contest. Our class puts this on every year as one of the main money raising activities to pay for the Junior-Senior prom. Another is the Sophomore car wash and selling basketball pennants at the games to aid the prom expense

Homecoming Olympics showed the rest of the school the Sophomore's spirit on October 21st. Our class was victorious with the hotdog eating contest and the women's pie eating contest. Dana Peyton won the pie eating contest, demolishing a nine inch blueberry pie in three minutes. Steve Mikesell excelled in the hotdog eating contest devouring six whole hotdogs.





THE SOPHOMORES



In '79, Sophomores Combine!



Radford Allen



Mike Arcara



Christi Bales



Mike Ballard



Cassie Bebout



Monique Batey



Rebecca Carey



Don Chambers



Peggy Charlton



The Kissing Bandit, making his approach



A star is born!



Rea Coartney



Kim Cooper



Kelly Crosland



John Davies



Cheri Dudley



Becky English



Liz Estes



Renee Felton



Craig Fracchiolla



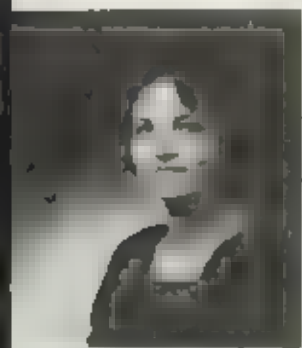
Linda Garst



Kerry Gleeson /



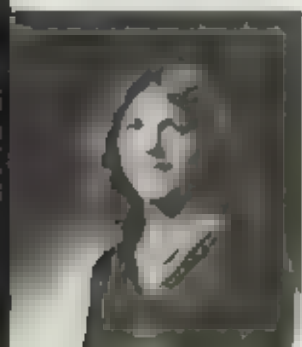
Cyndie Gordon



Rachel Gorski



David Guzman



Michelle Harper



Scott Harris



The Three Stooges



Dwayne Hart



Sally Haynes



Tammy Hetrick



Julie Janssen



Teresa Jeffries



Jackie Jones



These class meetings are so boring!



Roxanne Kilgore



Linda Kor



Kim Lattery



Burl Lester



Jill Lowmore



Teresita Lynch



Andy Macias



Yvonne Magnusson



Maurie Manning



Denise Maupin



Jennise McCain



Cathy McDaniel



Anita McGuffie



Chuck McGuffie



Tracy Meehweib



Nevryn Mesa



Steve Mikesell



What do you want!



Diane Miller



Shawn Miller



Laurie Minnick



Todd Mitchel



Tony Morgan



Christy Morgan



Dolores Noita



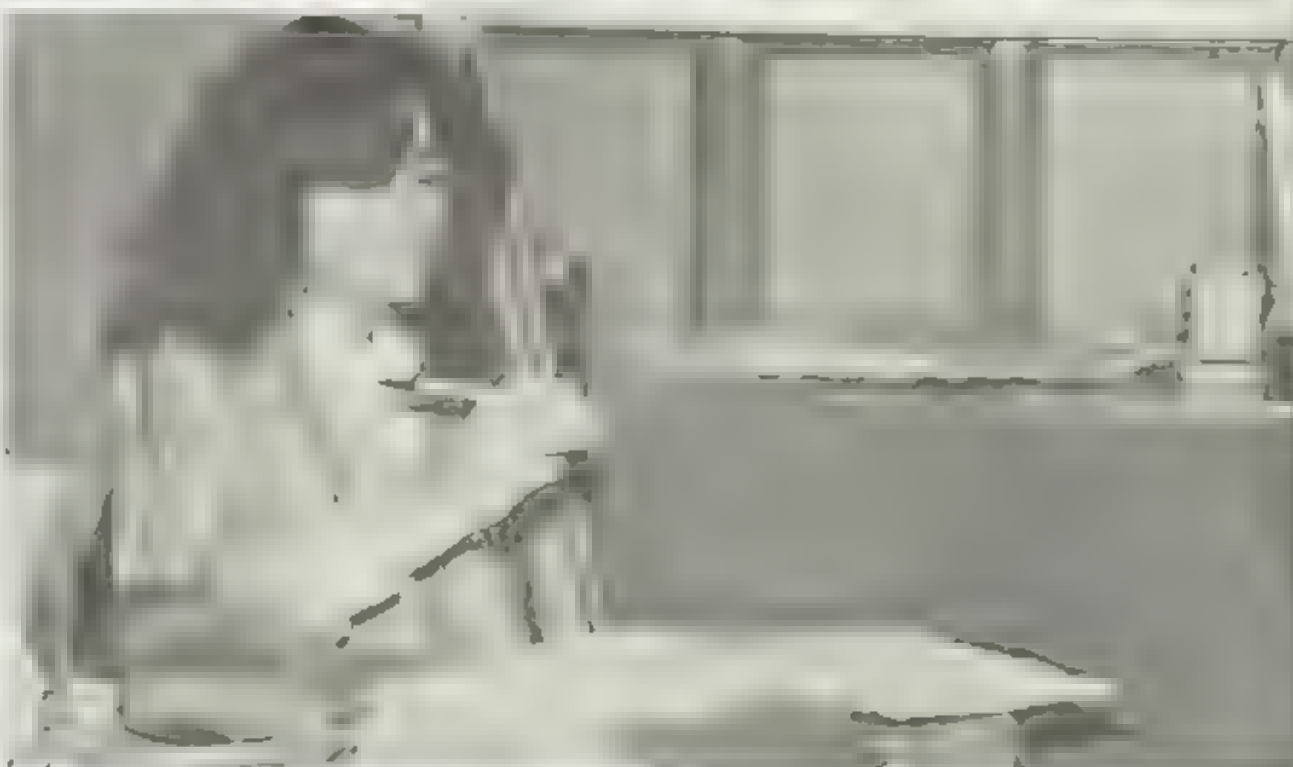
Leann Nunes



Suzan Ortmeiser



Lynette Page



I know that answer's right!



Vicki Patapow



Cindy Perez



Dorthy Perkins



Dana Peyton



Therisa Price



Teresa Prue



Rene Raigoza



Danny Raybould

Super, Spirited, Sophomores Succeed!



Nature boy strikes again!



Pat Rhoades



Wayne Ritter



Mike Sayre



Sue Schwarten



Connie Thomas



Beth Tiffany



Lance Tozer



Diana Valenzuela



Shelly Wagner



Margaret Ward



Eddie Wassner



Debs Weisger



Ramona Weldy



Shawna Weldy



Robert Wickman



Wilma Williams



Deanna Woods



You tickled my funny-bone!

The Class of '82, Exploring, Discovering and Achieving!



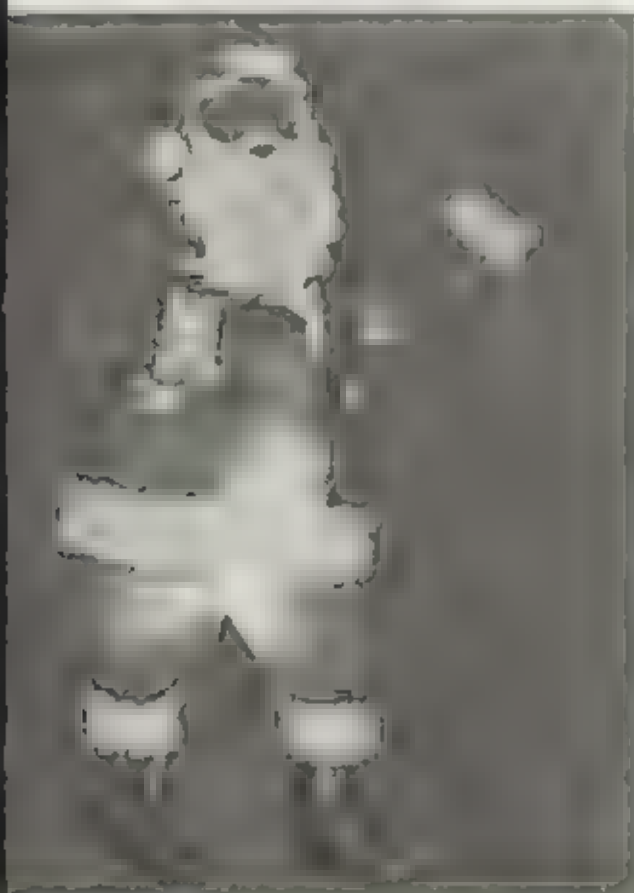
Top; Where's the zoo-keeper when we need him?

Left; Becky checking it out

Center; Honey, you forgot to use your scope!

Bottom; Hey, look Michelle, I think he's taking a picture of us





Top left; Would you run that by me again?

Top right; Catch this!

Center; Who are you calling a shorty?

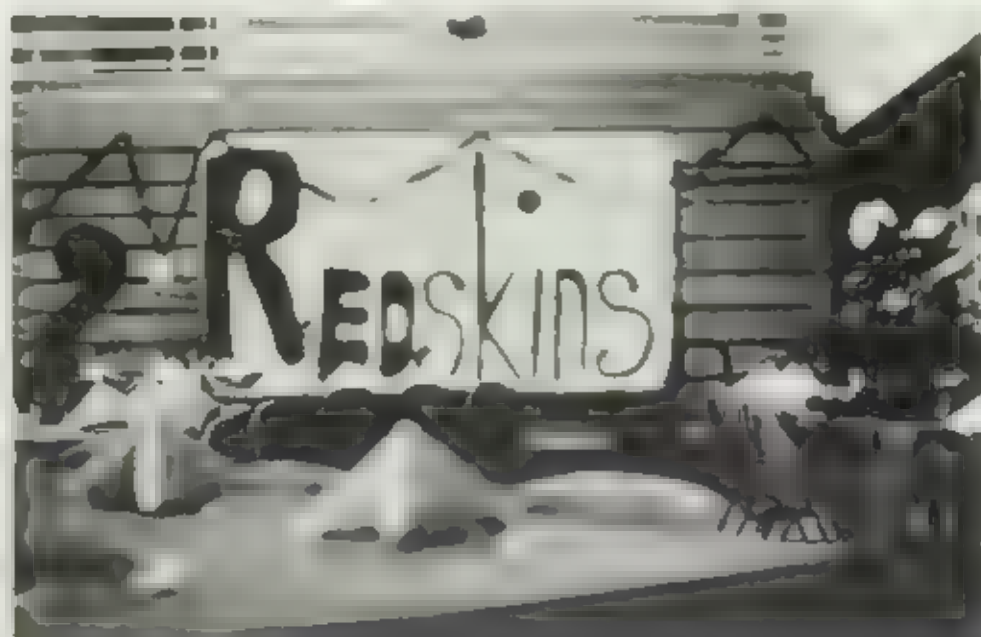
Above; Come on baby, lets dance!

Bottom; Did you know that Santa Claus comes only once a year?

The class of 1981 is trying their hardest to make Mountain Empire High School number one.

They have worked very hard raising money for school activities. One of the most important was the 1980 senior prom held at the Sea World Punch Bowl. Other fund raising activities included car washes, bake sales, all in various locations, their Junior class homecoming dinner, dances and other events through out the year.

Spirit week was full of activities even though the junior class did not win we hung in there. Some of the events that went on that week, and the people that participated: Danny Raymond and Richard Rubio filled glasses



Above right Junior Class officers, Tina Mettvier, Freya Renaker, Anita Thomas, Laurie Muir and Richard Rubio
Below right rides the Junior Class Queen Laurie Muir



with water, while Barry Essex and Freya Renaker plunged their faces into a pie full of blueberrys and Jerry Fisher and Sallı Byarlay raced their way across the quad in the three legged race, Kieth Friddle and Freya Renaker talked their way into a mouth full of peanut butter and crackers and Danny Raymond ate all the hot dogs he possibly could. But that is not all that happened during spirit week. The Juniors did come in first in the spirit tape contest!

All Juniors will be turning corners in time and life and maybe in our later years we will turn a corner and meet one of our old friends from MOUNTAIN EMPIRE HIGH SCHOOL.

The Juniors class officers have been trying very hard to make this the best year yet for the class of 1981; A most memorable year, full of activities and many money making projects. These could have been never been done with out our advisors Mrs Folmer, Mr Davidson and Mr Prince. Our advisors have been great and we hope that they are with us next year. The Juniors have also been working hard to create spirit by getting involved with the school and the community, they have participated in pep assemblies and they have raffled off turkeys and hams to the community. We hope that the years to come will be as successful and fun as this one was.





THE JUNIORS



Fun-loving Juniors



Faith Anderson



Cindy Armstrong



Les Barrios



Tom Barrett



Salli Byarlay



Kelly Campbell



Micheal Carey



Bryan Casinger



Donna Cioffi



Lawrence Clyde



Edward Coffey



Laurie Davies

Look at those big smiles!



Vince Denham



Marco Espinoza



Barry Essex



Andre Fans



Jerry Fisher



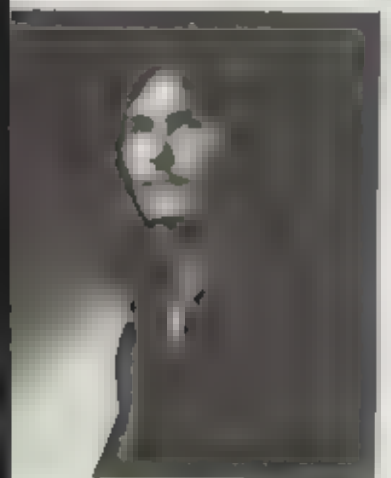
Missy French



Kieth Friddle



Debbie Gordon



Alan Gorski



Lora Hammers



Dwayne Hilger



Pam Hodgins



Chew!



Kevin Holt



Angela Horn



Barbara House



Sherry Jaggi



Mike Jones



Lorrie Jordan



Andy Kantas



Robert Kirby



Bill Kite



Kathy Lamberson



Hugh Lester



Greg Luetticke



Evalia Macias



Ruth Macnider



Danny Mady



Steve Matesz



Brian McDowell



Tina Metivier



Johnny Meyer



Randy Miles

Class Of



Tracey Minnick



Alberto Montero



John Morgan



Richard Morrison

1981



Laura Mutt



Bambi Munn



Scott Murrey



Josephine Nolta



Martin Norvell



Becky Nunnery



Leslie Olson



Terry Page



Brandon Paris



Robin Penland



Diane Price



Danny Raymond



Freya Renaker



Robert Rock



Holly Ross



Richard Rubio



Sophistication.



Sandra Sanchez



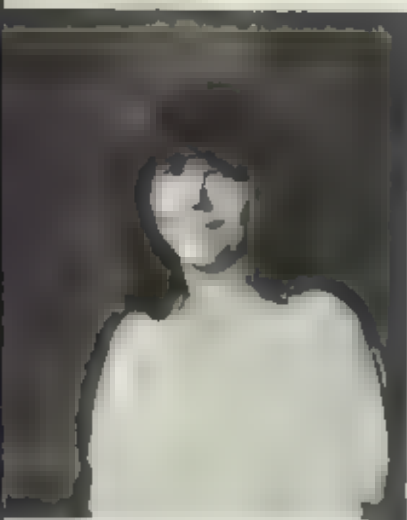
Fran SanFilippo



Tammy Saxon



Freya's new love?



Jeri Sayotovich



Matt Scully

Three Down One To Go.



Noel Shorter



Ginger Shull



Scott Switzer



Anita Thomas



Doug Tumison



June Watters



Lisa West



Patti Wineski



Dawn Woods



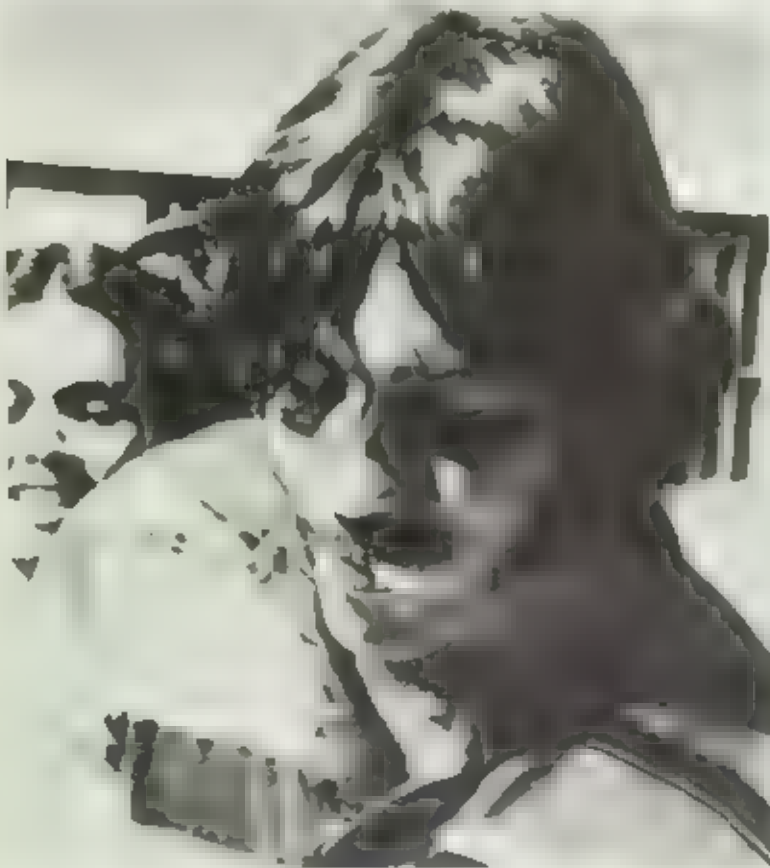
Johnna Zenger



Run that by me one more time

Jacqui McDaniel and Tammy Bartlett dress up on Halloween, for the costume contest

Clint Darnell has a bite to eat on Homecoming Day



The Senior Class of 1980. Most of the students in this class have been in school together since seventh grade. We have learned, played sports, eaten lunch, danced, went to parties, laughed, goofed off, cried, just some of the many things we have done together

When the seniors graduated from junior high, back in 1976, teachers, parents and most people, knew we were going to be a very promising class. As a class we have accomplished many things

From the beginning (ninth grade) of high school, this class has always been a hardworking group. We started the tradition of buying



Right: Liz Vinson getting ready for a rain dance

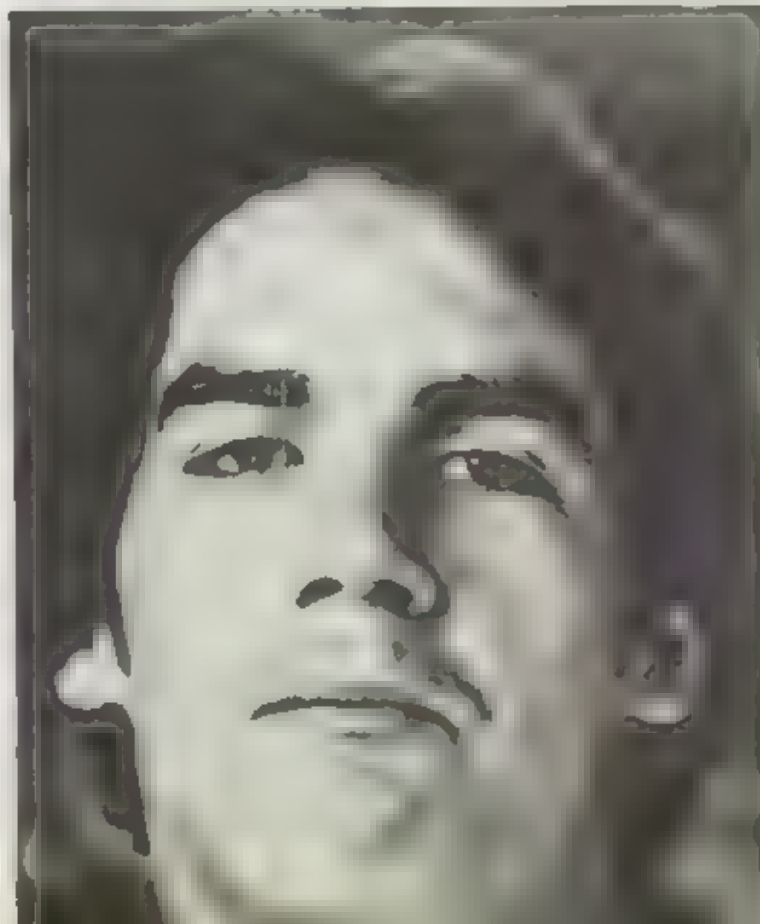
Middle: Senior Class Officers: Lucy Tulloch, President; Lisa Washburn, Vice-President; Jacqui McDaniel, Secretary; Robin Dudley, Treasurer

Below Left: Lucy Tulloch, Senior class queen

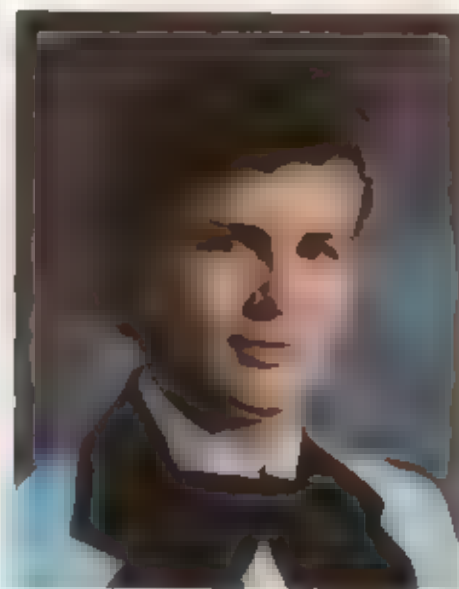
Below Right: Todd Hetrick, would make a lovely model



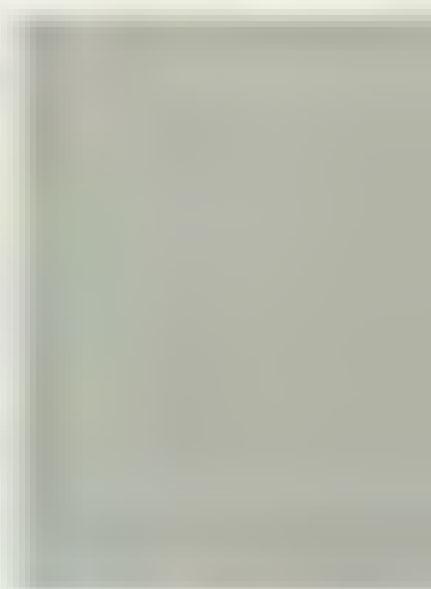
THE SENIORS



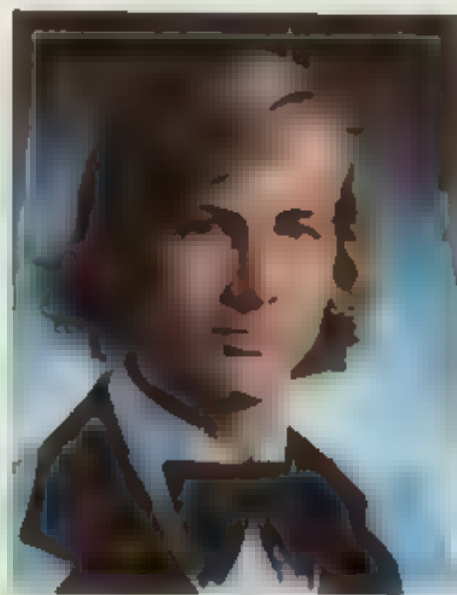
Seniors Look Their Best!



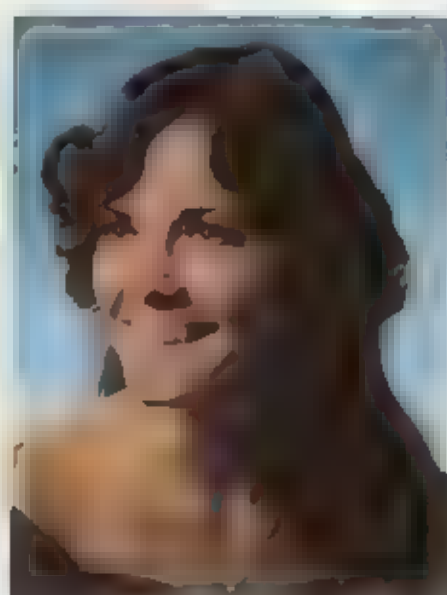
Armando Acosta



Mark Alvord



Richard Ewel Anglin



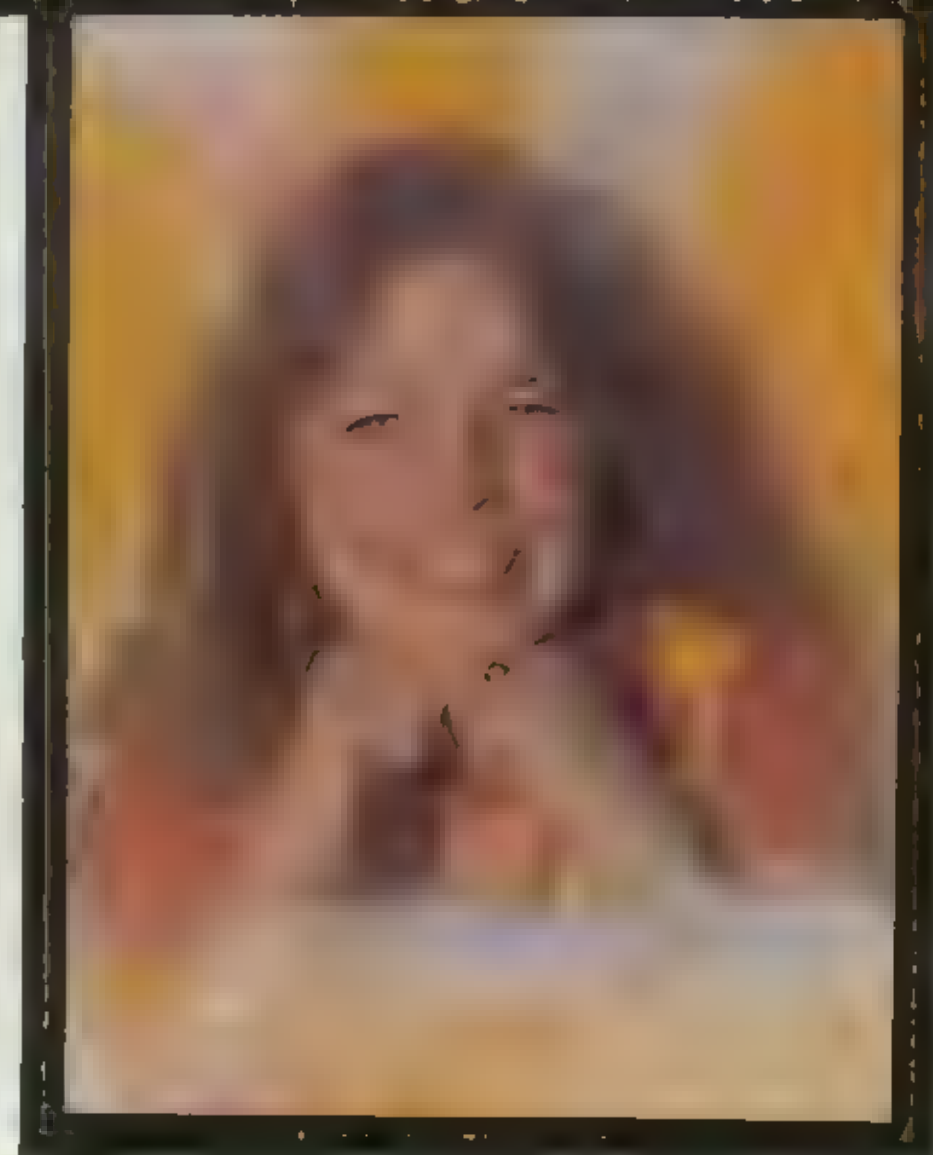
Tammy L. Bartlett



Dawn Louise Braghetta



Tony Edward Brierton



Armando Acosta: Future Plans, Finish school and get a good job, and live a happy long life. Ambition, To have all my school finished and become a veterinarian

Richard E. Anglin: "Rick", Future Plans; To open up a business involved with performance modifications on motorcycles and dunebuggies, and to be an international drug dealer. Ambition, To live a full life and enjoy music

Tammy Bartlett: Activities; softball, 1, 3, 4 honor society, 1 pep club 2, 3, 4 drill team, 2 w.a.c., 4 track, 4 basketball 4 Future Plans, To go to college and take a class in cosmetology and art. Ambition, To get married at the age of 22 or 23, but meanwhile make the best of my time till then

Dawn Braghetta, "D.B." Activities, Band 1, honor society 1, 2, 3, 4 honor society treasurer 2, representative to the A.S.B. 2, girls basketball scorekeeper 2, football watergirl 2, A.S.B. treasurer 3, girls state representative 3, drama club 3, 4, drama club president 3, boys basketball scorekeeper 3, 4, spanish club 3, 4, c.s.f. 3, key club 3, 4 Future Plans; To go to Grossmont College and then go to flight attendant school. Ambition, To travel and enjoy life to its fullest

Tony Brierton: Activities, J.V. football 2, V. football 3, 4, Lettermens club 3, 4. Future Plans, Go to a junior college and then maybe to a university. Ambition, To become rich

James Burris: "Burris" Activities, drama 2, 4, track 2, 4 Future Plans, Hike to Canada, then go into the coast guard. Ambition, To make lots of money and work hard

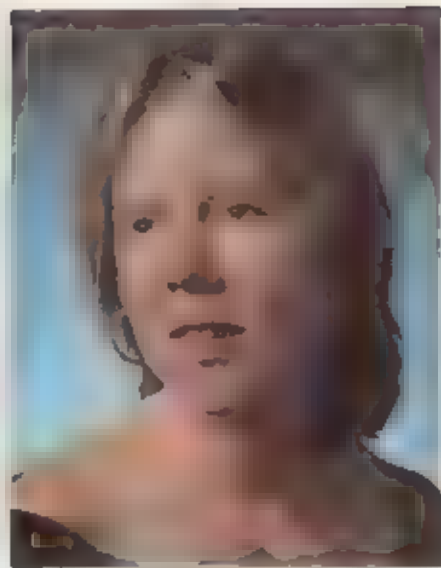
Eileen Runnels: Activities, pep club 1, 2 Future Plans, to work with animals in a humane society. Ambition, To be happy

Debbie Coffey: "Deb" Activities, Business club 2, newspaper staff 3 basketball statistician 3, 4, A.S.B. commissioner of activities 4, pep club 4. Future Plans, To move to El Cajon and go to Grossmont College. Ambition, to be successful in whatever career I choose and maybe someday get married

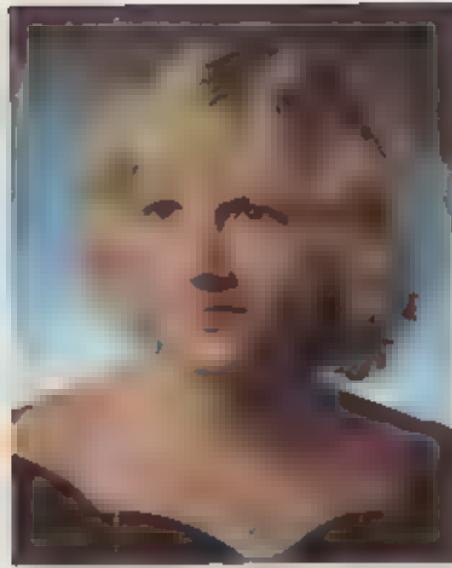
Fredrick Cox: "Fred" Activities, J.V. football 1, 2, V. football 3, 4 wrestling 2, lettermens club 2, 3, 4. Future Plans, Go to Oregon to



James Steven Burris



Eileen Louise Butler Runnels



Deborah Lynn Coffey



Fredrick Wallace Cox



Clinton Lane Darnell



Curtis J. Dart



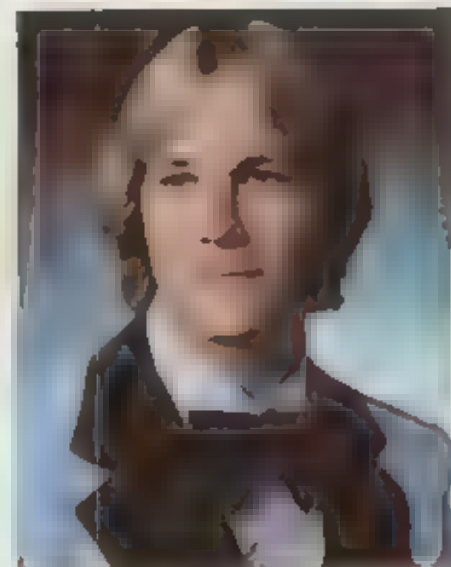
Michael James Davis



Rebecca Ann Dempsey



Robin Lyn Dudley



William Harrison English Jr



Senior Ladies

become a logger Ambition, Have enough money to buy anything I want

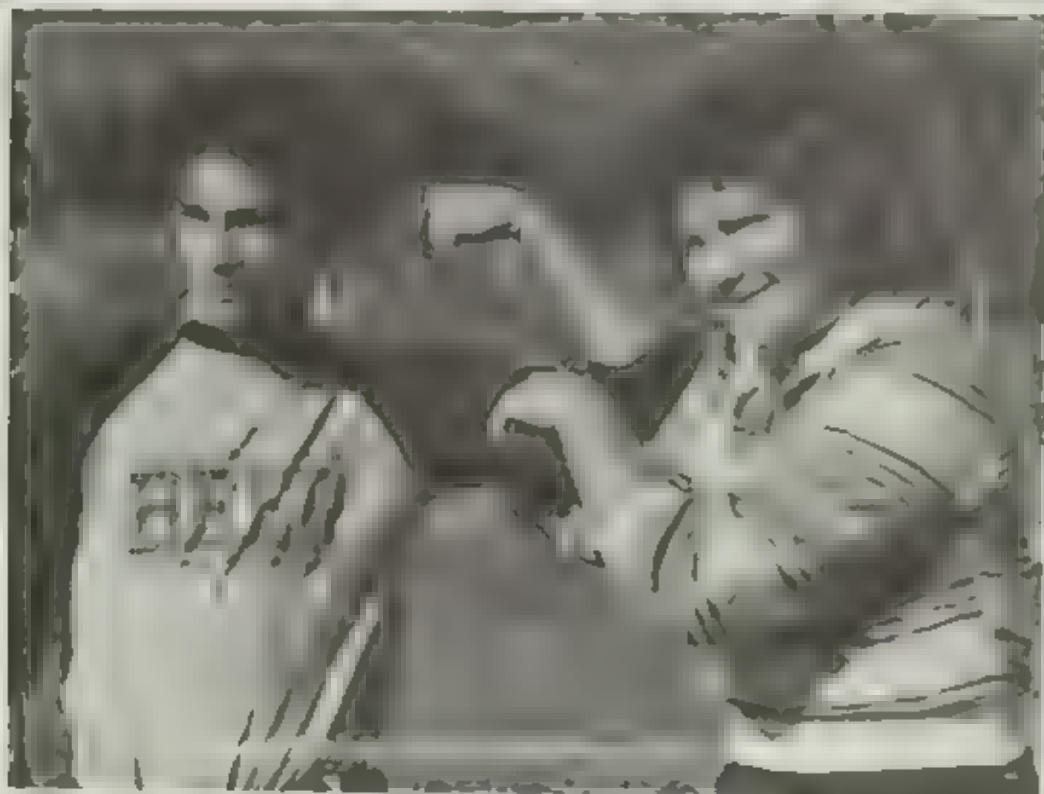
Clint Darnell "George" Activities, pep club 4, yearbook 2, football 3 4, basketball 2, 3, 4, s.s.l. 2, 3, 4, track 3, 4, chess club 3, newspaper staff 3, drama club vice-president 4, lettermens club 3, 4, Future Plans continue working for a roofing company and some day have my own Ambition, To become a musician and have my own band

Curtis Dart Activities, J V football 2, 3, V football 4, lettermens club 4 Future Plans, To go to a trade school or just bumb around. Ambition; To become rich and famous and live a long life

Michael Davis: "Mike" Activities; varsity football 3, basketball 4 varsity baseball 2, 3, 4, lettermens club 2, 3, 4, key club 3. Future Plans; To go to college and study law and play baseball. Ambition; to achieve my goals and become successful.

Rebecca Dempsey: "Becky" Activities; track 2, 3, 4, volleyball, 4, pep club 4, w.a.c. 4, key club 4. Future Plans, To go to a junior college and take art classes. I hope to go to art school in later years, and possibly teach. Settle down on a ranch and raise a family later Ambition To be a professional artist

Robin Dudley: "shorty" Activities; Honor society 1, 2, 3, 4, 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4, junior class secretary, senior class treasurer, newspaper front page editor 3, Spanish Club 3, pep club 3, band 1 Future Plans; I want to experience a year of freedom after school, then plan to go to college Ambition, To study computers or be an interior decorator William English: "Bill" Activities, V. wrestling 3, 4, peer counseling 3 4, J V football 3, V football 4, band 1, 2, 3, library club 1, drama club 4, lettermens club 4. Future Plans, Be in the military Ambition, To be Rich

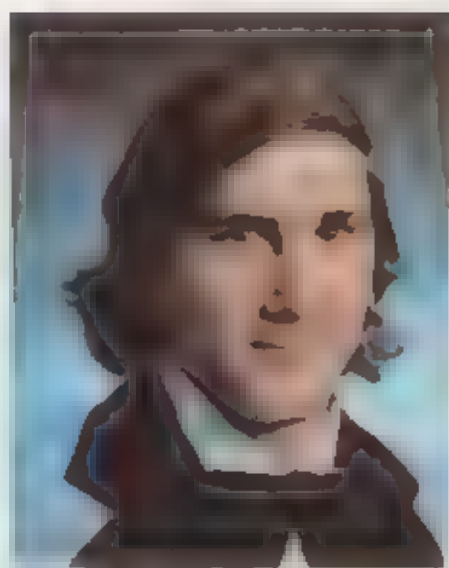


Senior Bests

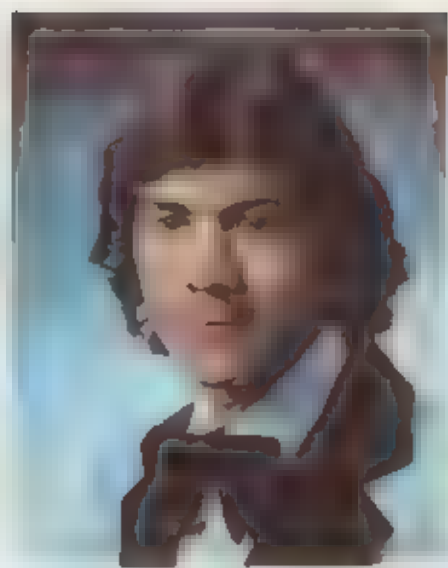




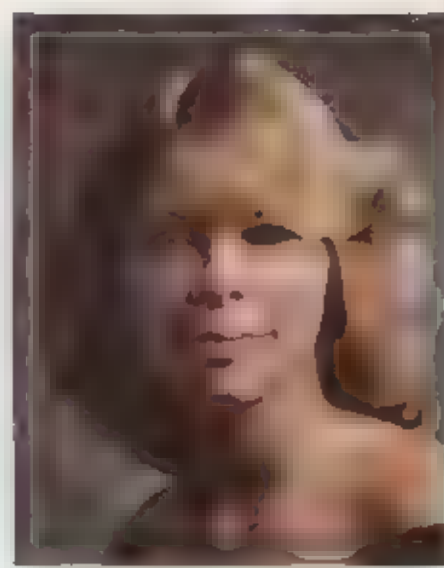
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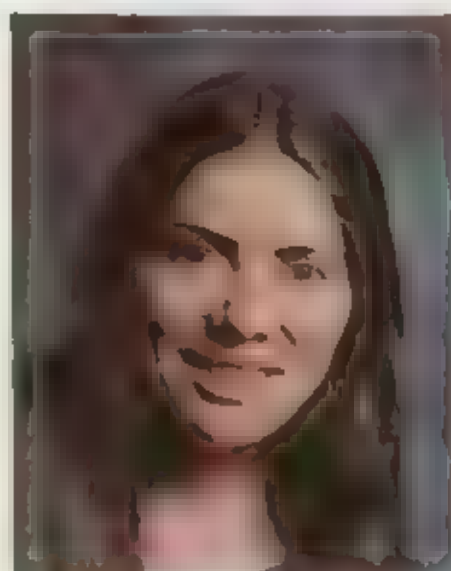
William Giddings



Joaquin Gonzales



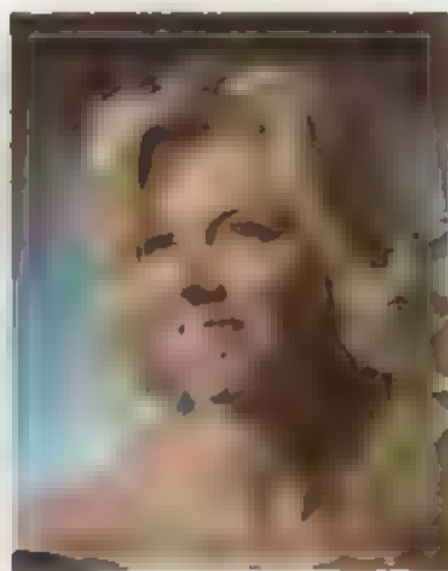
Julie Ann Gordon



Naomi Guzman



Jerry Carl Hollowell



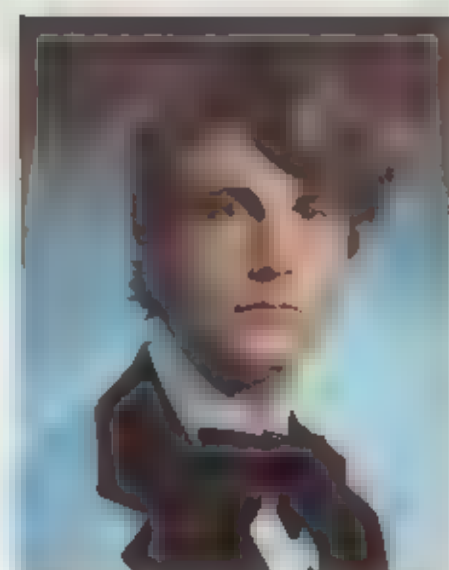
Andrea Salina Hamilton



Diane Marie Hendrickson



Todd Curtiss Hetrick



Charles Edward Hilger



Starla Louise Hudson



Joseph Hurst

Betty Garbanl: Activities Honor Society, 1, 2, 3, 4, C.S.F. 2, 3, 4, volleyball 1, pep club 1, Wac. 3, 4, Wac. vice-president 4. Future Plans: To attend a four year college for a degree in business management. Ambition: To be a success in the business profession and also to travel.

William Giddings: "Bill" Activities; Wrestling 1, 2

Joaquin Gonzales: "Queenie" Activities; J.V. football 2, V football 4, J.V. basketball 1, 2, 3, V. basketball 4, baseball 3, 4, lettermens club 3, 4, track 3, Spanish club 3, key club 3. Future Plans: Go to Grossmont College. Ambition: To become rich and become a professional athlete

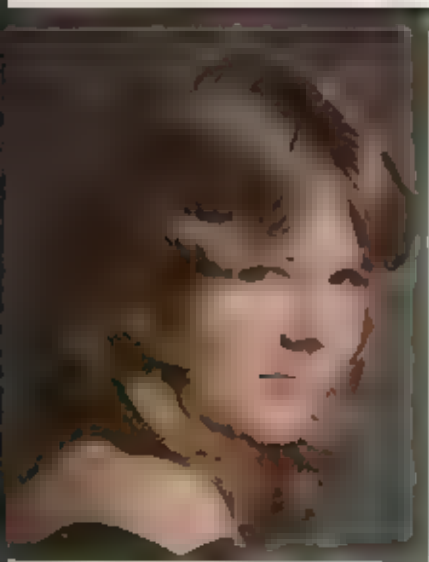
Julie A. Gordon: "Bouncy" Activities; drill team 1, 2, chorus 3, class queen 3, prom committee 3, Varsity cheerleader 4, A.S.B. 4, Homecoming Court 4. Future Plans; work in a health spa and major in physical education or therapy. Ambition: Go on a cruise to Hawaii after graduation with a very close friend Karen

Naomi Guzman: "Jamie" Activities, drama 1, Indian Club 2, softball 2, 3, 4, WAC 2, 3, 4, volleyball 3, 4, Indian Club 1. Future Plans: To get a good job. Ambition: To be happy

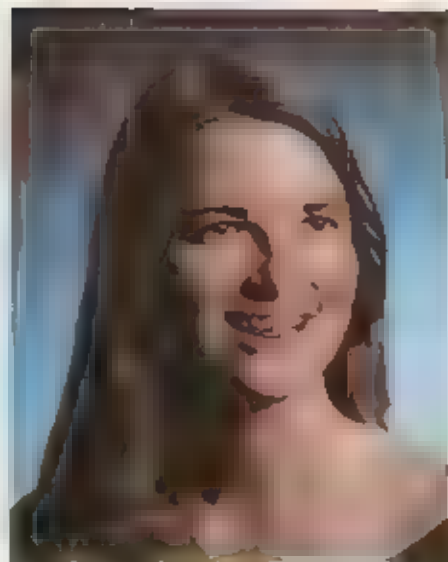
Jerry Hollowell: "J.C." Future Plans; Construction worker, Hope to get apprenticeship with an electrical union. Work as a mechanic in a machine shop. Ambition; To be a general foreman on a large construction job and make enough money to support a family

Andrea Hamilton: "Andy" Activities; WAC 2, tennis 2, yearbook 2, Varsity cheerleader 3, winter queen 3, pep club 3, prom committee 3, A.S.B. commissioner of publicity, newspaper staff, A.S.B. parliamentarian 4, key club 4. Future plans: I plan to attend college and major in art. From there I plan to get on the airlines and make it my career. Ambition; To be an airline stewardess, live comfortable and drive a Mercedes 450 SL.

Diane Marie Hendrickson: Activities; school newspaper editor 3, V. cheer-



Karin Kor



Sylvia Nicole Krug

School Days: Forget? Never!!



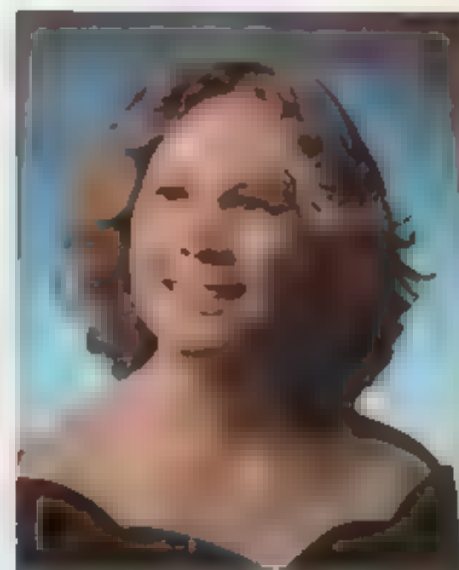
Gary William Lachapelle



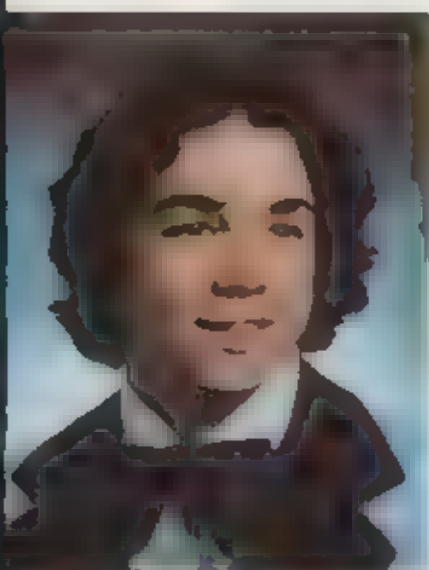
Glen Alan Ledgerwood



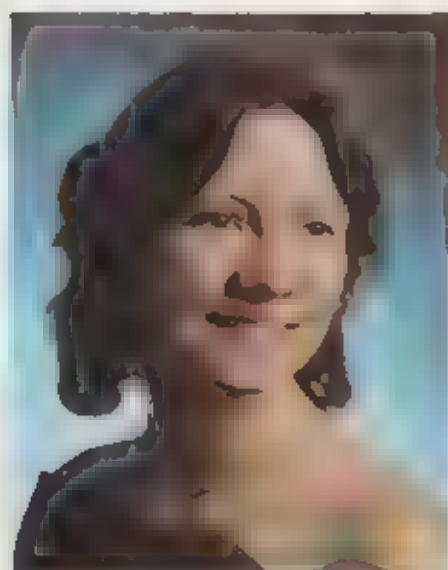
John Charles Mady Jr.



Michele Eileen Manning



Stephan Anthony Martinez



Gloria Jeanette McDaniel

leader 3, pep club 2, 3, 4, yearbook 3, prom committee 3, photography 3
Future Plans: To find a good job and go to Grossmont College. Ambition: To get married be happy and have lots of children

Todd Hatrick Activities: J V football 1, 2, V Football 3, 4, J V. wrestling 2, Class President 1, 2, A.S.B. Co-President 3, A.S.B. Vice president 4, Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4, CSF 3, 4, Lettermens Club 3, 4, Key club 4, Lettermens vice president 4. Future Plans: To go to college to major in wild life management or mathematics. Ambition: To help all animals survive while man continues to destroy the habitat

Charles Hilger "Chas" Activities: school newspaper 4, yearbook 4, chess club 2, 3, 4, Key club 4, Band 3, 4, Photography 3, 4, basketball 4. Future Plans: To go to college and find out what I want to do and get a good job

Starla Hudson: Activities: journalism 1, Pep Club 1, 2. Future Plans: To get married and have a happy life Ambition: To someday help the handicapped

Odrich Earl Kirby: "Earl" Activities: track 2, 3, 4, chess club 2, 3, 4, A.S.B. representative for chess club. Future Plans: To go into business for myself or continue being a fireman. Ambition: To travel around the world

Karin Kor Activities Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4, CSF 2, 3, 4, Pep club 1, WAC 3, 4, WAC secretary 4, volleyball 1, yearbook art 3, 4. Future Plans: To go to Grossmont Jr. College for two years then possibly to a four year college and major in art. Ambition: To become an illustrator or commercial artist

Sylvia Krug Activities: Pep Club 1, yearbook 3. Future Plans: To become a stewardess. Ambition: To make it on my own

Gary Lachapelle: Activities: To go to college to major in dramatic arts Ambition: make a movie

Glen Ledgerwood: Activities: football 3, 4, baseball 4, lettermens club 4. Future Plans: To go to a junior college then into a university Ambition: To get into a good career that pays well

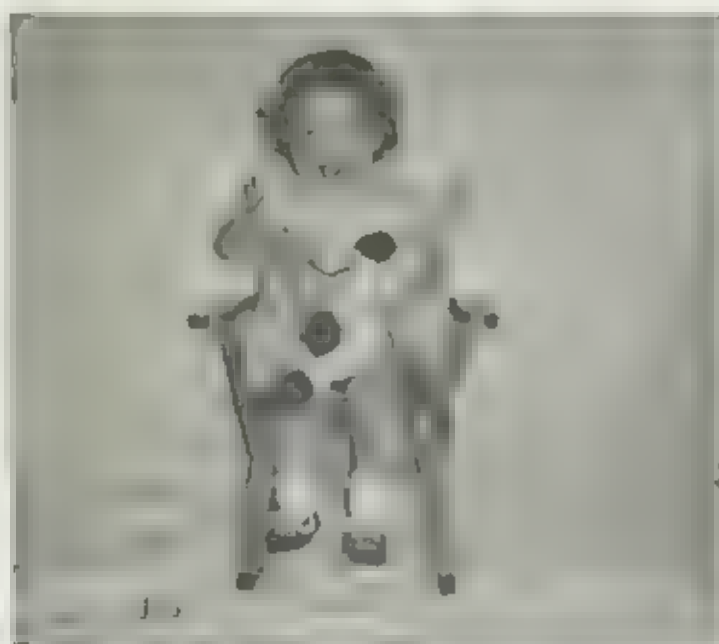
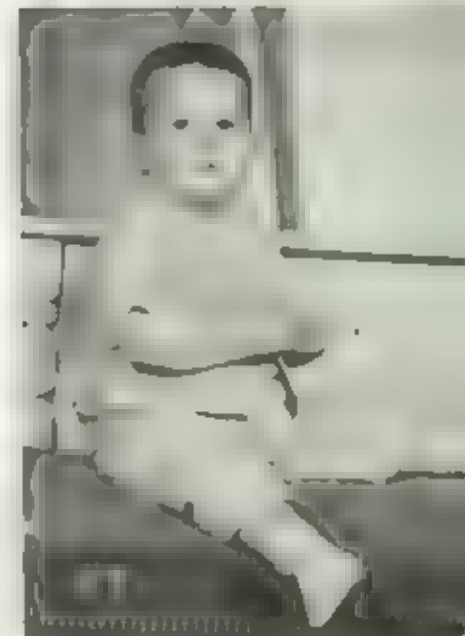
John C. Mady Jr.: "Chuck" Activities newspaper staff 1, asst. editor 3. Yearbook financial editor 2, Yearbook co-editor 3, Spanish club 3, drama club 3, 4, Prom Committee 3, Homecoming comm. 3, 4, pep club 4, Lettermens club 4, track 1, 2, 3, 4, football 2, class officer 2, A.S.B. representative 2, A.S.B. commissioner of concessions 3, A.S.B. President 4. Future Plans: Go to college get my teaching credentials and return to Mr. Empire to teach, and also run the student government like schools down town. And the way it should be run. Ambition: After college I would like to find a girl that is willing to get married, have a house full of kids and raise a beautiful family

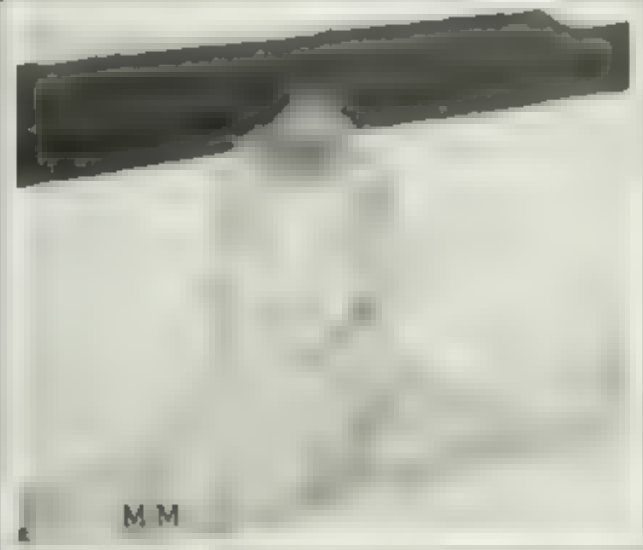
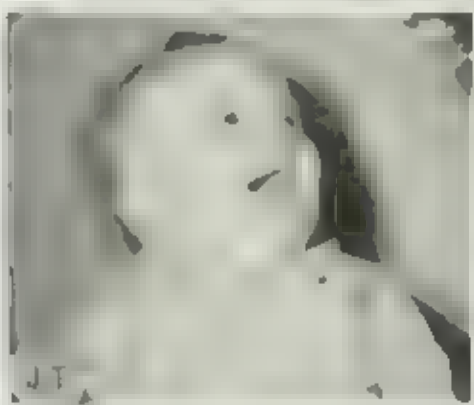
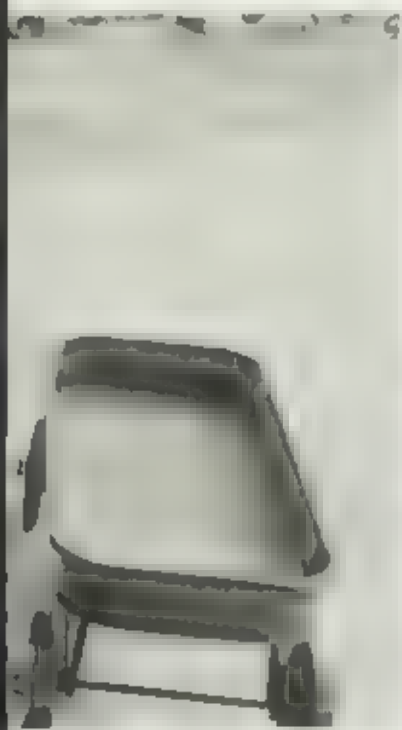
Michele Manning: "BoomBoom" Activities: Honor society 1, 2, 3, 4, Library club 2, 4, Library club secretary 4, volleyball 3, 4, Softball 3, 4, Spanish Club 3. Future Plans: Go to college to further my education. Ambition: To become a librarian

Stephan Martinez: "Steve" Activities: Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4, Baseball 2, 3, 4, Track 1, 4, Lettermens club 1, 2, 3, 4, Key club Vice President 3, Key club 3, 4, Freshman class sargent at arms 1. Future Plans: College, continue in sports and live it up. Ambition: To be a pro athlete and go all over the United States and the world. And I would like to wrestle in the 1984 Olympic games

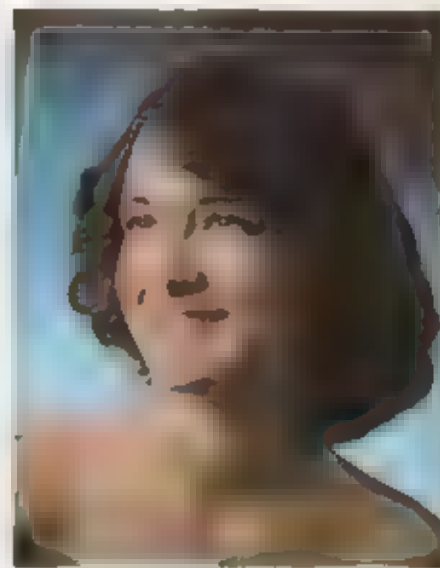
Gloria J. McDaniel Activities: Volleyball 3, 4, Softball 2, 3, 4, track 2, 4, band 1, 2, 3, WAC treasurer 4, Key club 4. Future Plans: To attend Grossmont College and transfer to San Diego State University

Senior Babes





Class Of: Nineteen-Eighty



Jacqueline Denise McDaniel



Troy D. McGuffie



Sean B. McKittrick



Frank Leon Meyer Jr



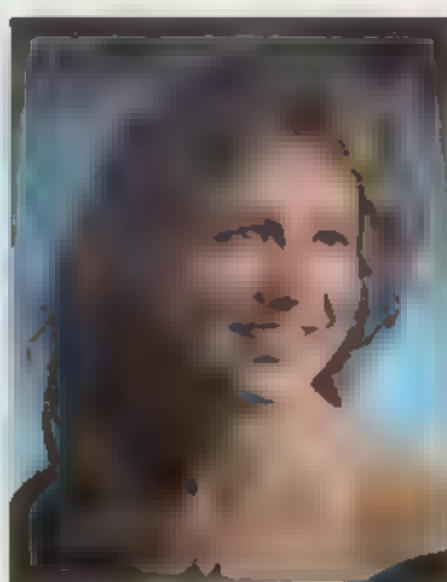
Lavon Eralna Meza



Gaylen Charles Miller



Lisa Maria Muir



Nanette Sue Neumann

Jacqueline McDaniel. "Jacqui" Activities; pep club 4, class secretary 4, key club 4, honor society 4 Future Plans; To go to business college and then get a secretarial career Ambition; To live my life to the fullest and enjoy every minute of it

Troy McGuffie; Activities; J.V. football 1, 2, football captain 2, V football 3, 4, football captain 4, lettermens club 3, 4, library club 3, Prom committee 3 Future Plans; To go to college or the service so I can travel and to find a career. Ambition; To live long and live a good life

Sean McKittrick Activities; Football 3, 4, Future Plans; Buy an auto mechanic or a motorcycle mechanics shop

Frank Meyer "Alabama" Activities; Varsity wrestling 2, 3, 4, J.V. football 1, 2, V football 3, 4, Baseball 1, Lettermens club 4. Future Plans; Go to trade school. Ambition; To get rich

Lavon Meza: Activities; Spanish club 3, Library club 4, Future Plans; To go to a secretarial school and later do secretarial work Ambition; To be successful and have a happy life

Gaylen Miller; Activities; Honor society 2, 3, 4, CSF 2, 3, 4, Track 2, 4, J.V. basketball 3, V Basketball 4, ASB commissioner 4, Drama club 3, 4. Future Plans; Continue education in college Ambition; Be an architectural engineer

Lisa Muir: "Lease" Activities; Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4, Pep club 1, 2, 3, Peer counseling 1, Cheerleader 1, 2, Sophomore class secretary Football statistician 3, Junior class president, Prom committee chairman 3, Yearbook Staff 2, 3, 4 Yearbook co-editor 3, CSF 2, 3, 4, Freshman Class Queen, Softball 4 Homecoming court 4. Future Plans; To go to a four year University in California, then one year to the University of Mexico in Mexico City Ambition; To be an elementary teacher and to marry and have beautiful children

Nanette Sue Neumann: "Sammy" ACTIVITIES: pep club 1, 4, basketball 1, 3, newspaper 3, ASB asst commissioner of concessions 4 FUTURE PLANS. To attend Grossmont or Cuyamaca and become a social worker AMBITION To graduate, To be happy in whatever I choose to do with my life

Steven Eugene Olson: "Ogie" ACTIVITIES: Library club 1, 2, 3, photography 1, 2, 3, 4, track 3, 4, basketball 2, 3, 4, drama club 4 FUTURE PLANS Join the service. Ambition; work for a college degree

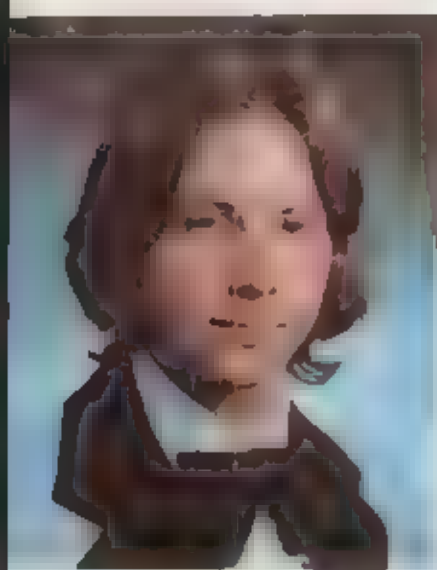
Darryl M Parrott: FUTURE PLANS College

Robin Lisa Penland: "crip" ACTIVITIES, track 1, Honor Society 1, 2, 3, WAC 1, 2, 3, CSF 3, 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, FUTURE PLANS, Go to college and major in computer science. Ambition; To be successful and someday get married

Margie Perez: "Sherriff" ACTIVITIES, Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4, Indian Club 1, 2, WAC 2, 3, 4, softball 4, basketball 4. FUTURE PLANS; To graduate and join the army Ambition; work in anything dealing law enforcement juvenile hall, or security guard

Teresa Pipes: "Terri" ACTIVITIES: drill team 1, 2, pep club 1, 2, Spanish club 3, volleyball 3, 4, drama club 1, 4, FHA 4 FUTURE PLANS, To go to college and study creative writing. Get married to S.L.A. someday hopefully Ambition; Hope to have my book published, and that it becomes a best seller

John S. Price, "Johnny" ACTIVITIES, J.V. football 1, 2, 3, V football 4, Woodshop 1, 2, 3, 4, Library 3. FUTURE PLANS, Go into the service to get a



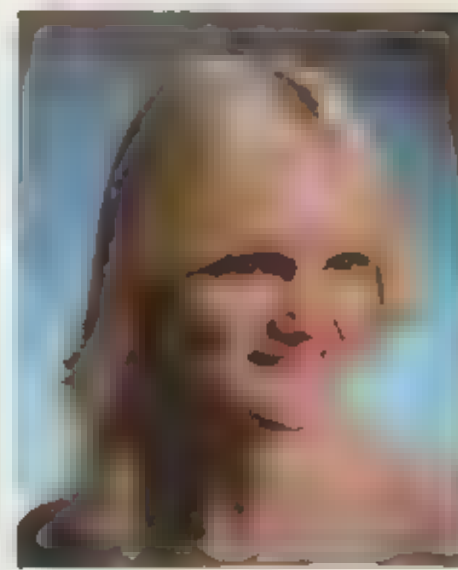
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Darryl Mark Parrott



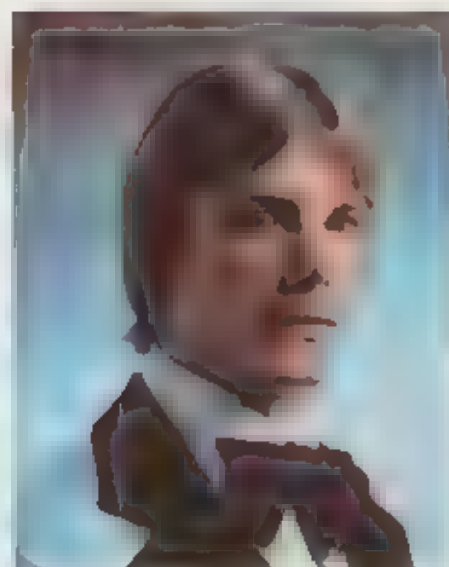
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Teresa Kay Pipes



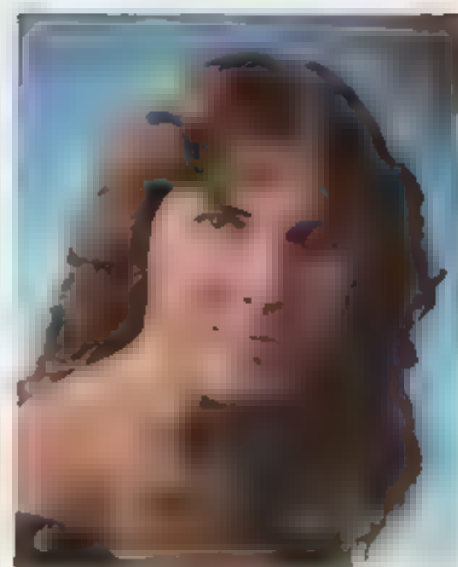
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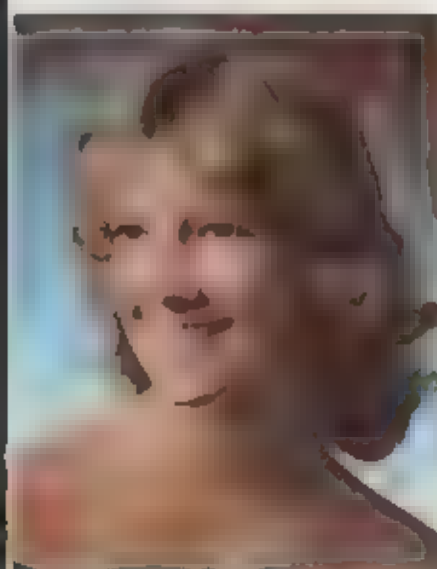
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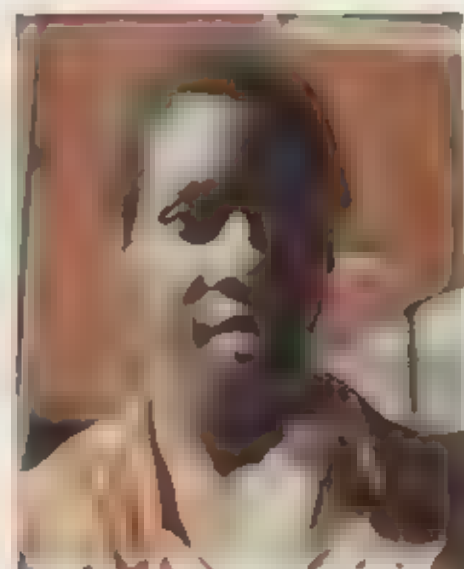
Margaret Linda Rutz



Pamela Ann Schlumpberger



Karen Ann Schwarten



Odrich Earl Kirby

better education and have fun traveling around the world. **AMBITION:** Be happy go to college, later to get a good paying job, and then find some good looking woman to live with

Margaret Rutz: "Margie" Activities; Library club, drama club. **FUTURE PLANS:** To learn more in everything and be experienced in many things **AMBITION:** To live happy and comfortably, make loads of money, and have a beautiful home by the beach. To have more wonderful friends, and someday meet that special guy

Stefanie Ann Sada: "Stef" Activities; Honor Society, Peer Counseling. Future Plans; To go to Grossmont College for two years, then take a summer off for traveling before transferring to a university **AMBITION:** To always be true to myself and never lose track of my dreams. Try a little of everything and experience what life has to offer

Pamela Schlumpberger: "missy shorty" **ACTIVITIES:** Gymnastics 1, 2, 3 4 pep club 4, Honor society 3. **FUTURE PLANS:** To go to a business school **AMBITION:** To be a cashier and someday plan to get married

Karen A. Schwarten: "Frick" **ACTIVITIES:** Drill team captain 1, 2, pep club 1, 2, 3, 4, gymnastics 1, 2, 3, 4, ASB asst. commissioner of publicity 4, Chorus 2, 3, Pep club sargent at arms 3, Homecoming court 4, Prom committee 3, gym club pres. 3. **FUTURE PLANS:** To go to Grossmont for two years to major in P.E. **Ambition:** To go on a cruise to Hawaii after Graduation

Wild And Crazy Seniors





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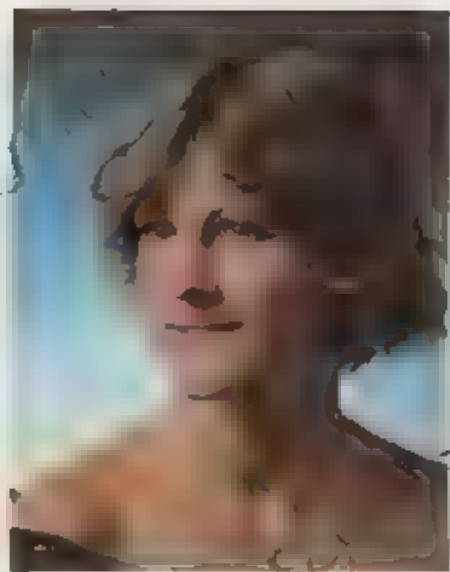
concert tickets and raffling them off, this was a good money-making activity. In ninth grade, mostly what the class was striving for was to make enough money for the Junior Senior prom of 1979. Throughout the ninth grade the class had a series of bake sales, at least one car wash, and other activities. The officers of ninth grade were Todd Hetrick, president, Audrey Kemp, vice-president, Karin Yuhl, treasurer, Terri Kottke, secretary, Stephan Martinez, sargeant at arms, and the class queen was Lisa Muir. The class had 108 students that year and did a fine job working together.

In tenth grade we re-elected Todd Hetrick, president and Audrey Kemp as vice president, Lisa Muir secretary, and Lisa Washburn treasurer. We had two additional officers who were, representative to the A S B, Dawn Braghetta, and commissioner of activities, Chuck Mady. Our class queen was Lisa Washburn. During this year we spent much time raising money and were able to reserve the Hotel Del Coronado for the 1979 prom. In this year there were 78 students compared to our Freshman year of 108 students.

In our junior year there were then only 68 students. Again our goal was raising money for the prom of that year. Our biggest money-making event was the Homecoming dinner, which was a carne asada dish. This made over 400 dollars profit for the junior class. We also had a booth on Sadie Hawkins Day, and we raffled off concert tickets again. We presented the junior class play, *Blithe's Spirit* and it starred, Todd Hetrick, Gaylen Miller, Lisa Washburn, Ellen Swift, Jenine Burheid, Dawn Braghetta and Joy Terryberry. Half of the proceeds went to the class and the other half to the drama department.

As May approached, the class became involved in getting things organized for the prom to be held on Saturday, May twenty-sixth. Preparations included ordering and buying the prom invitations, selling the prom bids, getting couples together like Chuck and Dodie, deciding on decorations for the room and contacting chaperones. The setting for the prom was the International Room at the Hotel del Coronado, the band was East and they said that they enjoyed playing for our prom. Most of the money we made over the last three years was spent on the prom, so as seniors we had to once again begin money-making projects. The officers for the junior year were, Lisa Muir, president; Barbara O'neal, vice president, Lucy Tulloch, treasurer, Robin Dudley, secretary, and Chuck Mady, sargeant at arms.

This year we plan to participate in the slave auction and the winter king-queen competition, both of which are sponsored by our class. We plan to make enough money to pay for our trip to Disneyland, Senior Breakfast, and the graduation arrangements.



Laura Jean Shepard



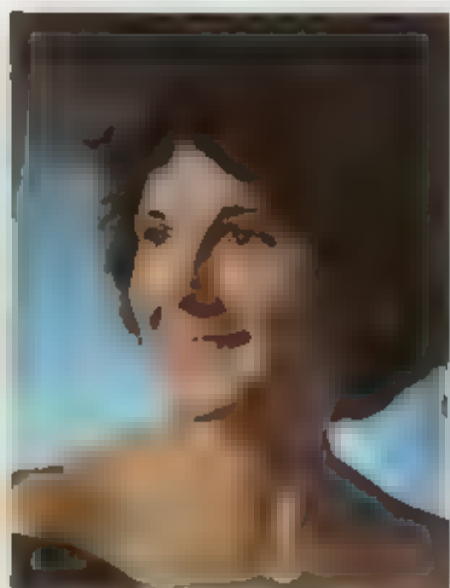
Ellen Patricia Swift



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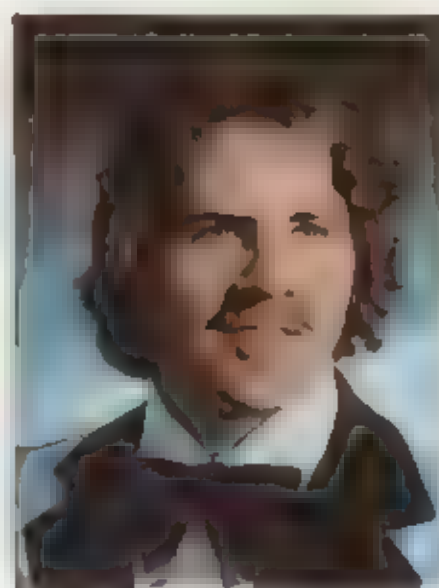
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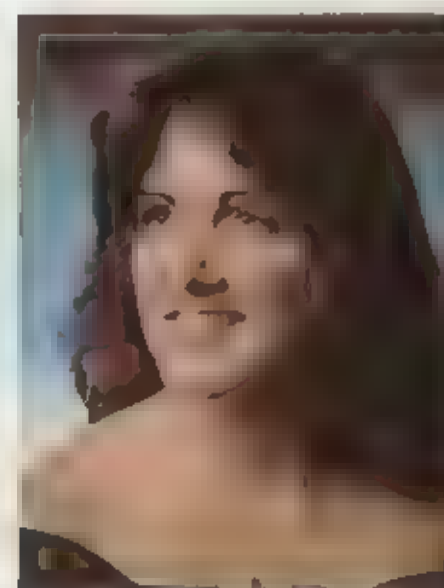
Lucy Anne Tulloch



Elizabeth E. Vinson



Roger Dean Wammack



Lisa Marie Washburn



Lucy Ybarra



Shirley Yi

Laura Jean Shepard: "La" ACTIVITIES; FHA president 3, Library club secretary 3, WAC 4. FUTURE PLANS; To go to Grossmont for two years then later become a flight attendant or cruise director. Later get married and have children. Ambition; To live life to it's fullest

Ellen Patricia Swift: ACTIVITIES; Yearbook, 3, Peer counseling 3, 4, Drama club 3, 4, FHA 4. FUTURE PLANS, Go to Sonoma State Junior College. AMBITION; To get my fill of life

John Taylor; ACTIVITIES; Lighting for plays, Honor Society 1, 2, 4, CSF 4

MEIT treasurer. FUTURE PLANS; college, degree in computer sciences, digital technology. AMBITION, Employment in electronic industry, and to own a house

Frank Thomas: Activities, Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4, J V football 2, 3, V football 4, J V basketball 1, 2, 3, V basketball 4, track 3, lettermens club 4. FUTURE PLANS, To go to work and to a Junior College. AMBITION, To get a job in law enforcement or in architecture. Lucy Tulloch: "Luce" ACTIVITIES: Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4, CSF 3, 4, Drama Club 4, Prom Committee 3, Class commissioner of activities 1, Junior class treasurer, Senior class president. Band 1, 4 H 1, 2, 3, 4, Senior class Queen, Girls state alternate, pep club 3, drama club treasurer 4. FUTURE PLANS, To go to the University of Arizona and study agriculture. AMBITION, Get married and raise show horses. Elizabeth Vinson: "Liz" ACTIVITIES; Volleyball 3, 4, Softball 2, 3, 4, Basketball 2, 3, 4, track 3, 4, WAC 3, 4, Homecoming queen 4. FUTURE PLANS, To graduate from High School and get a job. AMBITION; To live life to the fullest

Roger Wammack: "Rog" ACTIVITIES; J V football 1, J V basketball 1, 2, Varsity football 4, Varsity basketball 3, 4, Varsity baseball 3, 4, Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4, Lettermens club 3, 4, Lettermens Club President 4, Sargent at arms for class 2. FUTURE PLANS; Go to a four year college and I hope to eventually get married and have a bunch of kids. Ambition, Pitch in professional baseball.

Lisa M Washburn: "Effie" ACTIVITIES; Pep club 1, 2, 3, 4, Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4, Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4, CSF 3, 4, Girls basketball 3, WAC 4, Drama 3, 4, ASB 1, 2, 3, 4, Prom Committee 3, Sophomore class treasurer, Honor society secretary 3, senior class vice president, sophomore class queen, homecoming court, Key club 4. FUTURE PLANS; To go to a college and have as much fun as I can. Get a good job and settle down and be content with my life. AMBITION, Be happy and successful in everything I do.

Shirley Yi: "Klutzy" Activities; Drama club, Being. FUTURE PLANS; To continue my studies and learn as much as possible. AMBITION; To be happy



**Our Senior Year . . .
We Made It,
Congratulations,
Keep In Touch,
Have A Neat
Summer.
You Crying?**



Whether in the Mountains or the City, This Life is Mine

In the city
The people all run
They're not sure where they're going
But they say they're having fun

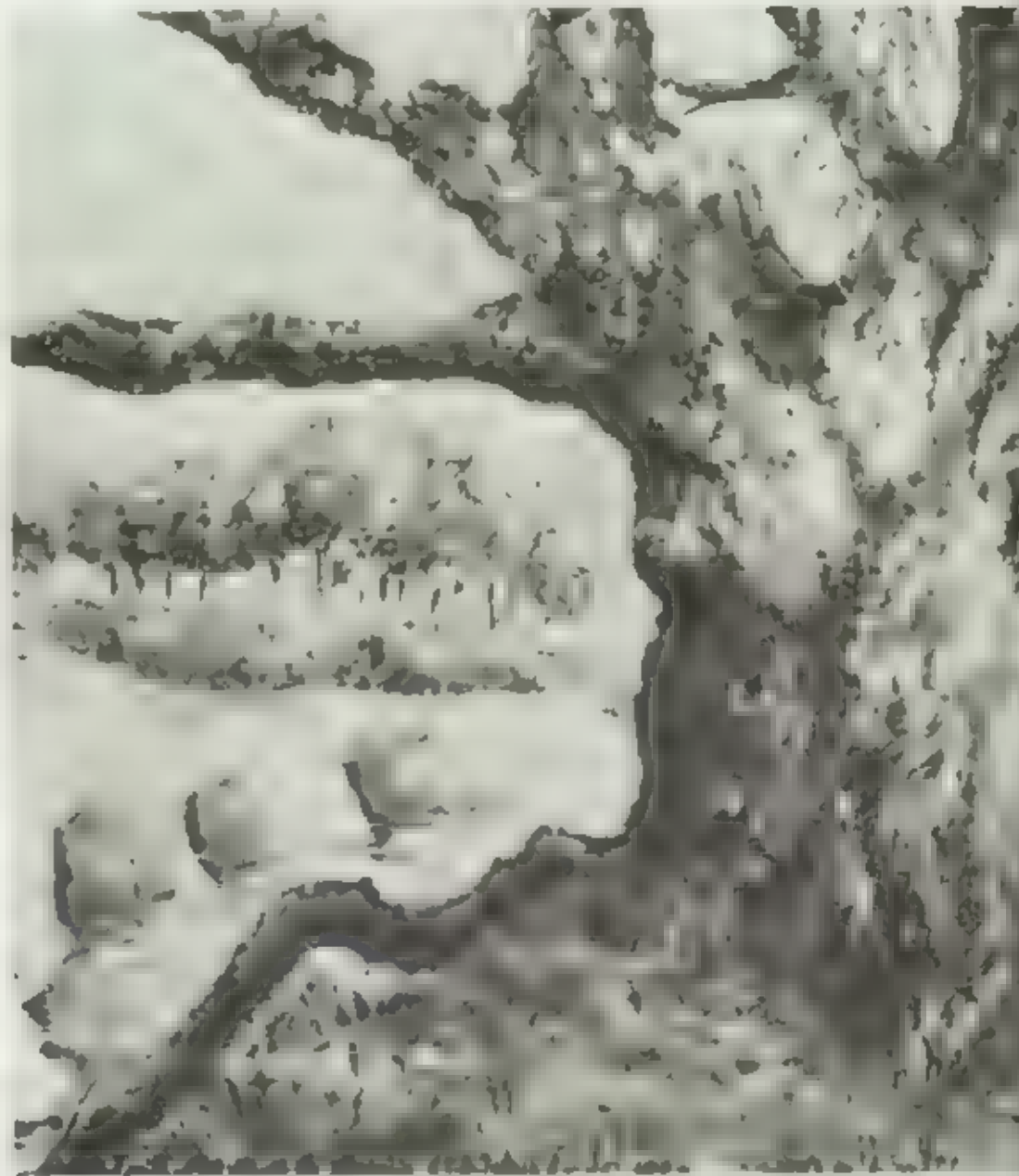
Up here in the mountains
Where the cool wind blows your hair
You can watch nature living
And you can even breathe our air

Then again, living in the city
Can sometimes be all right
You can always find a party
And a place to sleep the night

But the scenery consists mostly of
Plastic people who fly so high
Plastic building that reach the sky
And so many that don't even try

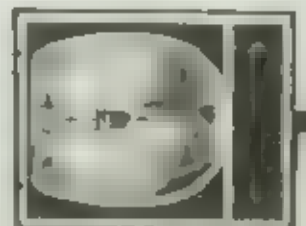
Well, take a ride up to the mountains
And take a look at our land
Be part of someone's life
Just reach out and take their hand

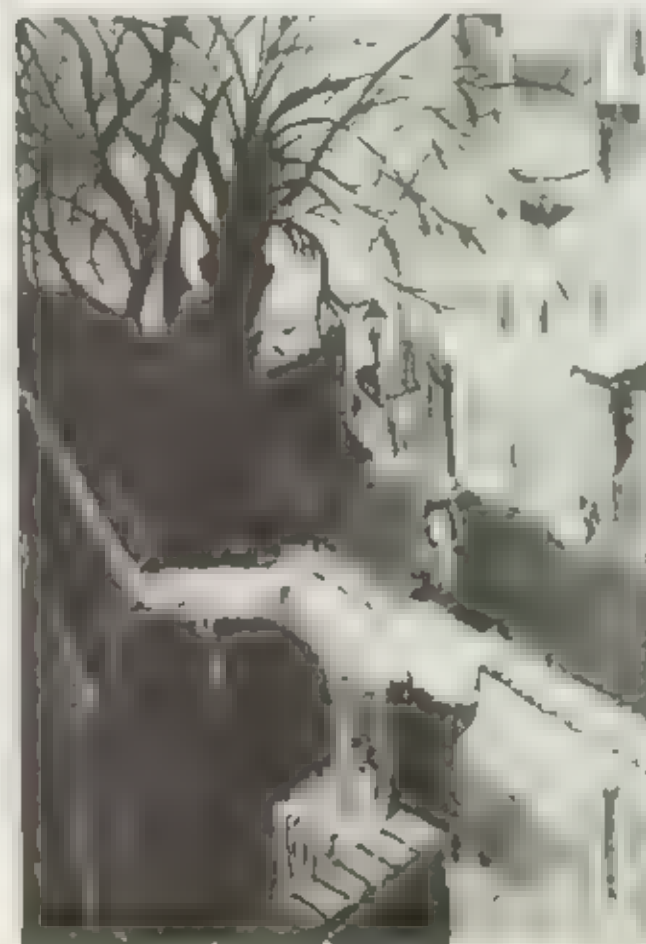
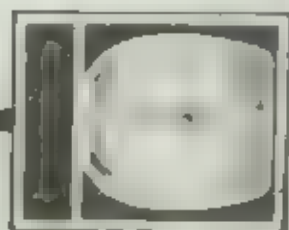
Whether in the mountains or the city
Life can really get rough
But you have to look inside your head
And realize that "just" living isn't enough.



Live for You, live for the time
Live simply for life itself
Try to understand that
Life is what you make it
Say to yourself "This life is mine".

Christi Bales





ACADEMICS AND ART



This year the Mt Empire Yearbook Staff has provided a new section, the arts and academic. We feel this is a new dimension in the Echo. The artwork, the photographs, poems, songs, stories and academic work is good enough to be displayed to you. The following is but a small sample of the work some of the multi talented students at Mt Empire have conjured. Many of the creations shown on the preceding pages were done by first year students. Students this year were very enthusiastic about learning and advancing their ability in the art department. We hope to see many advanced people next year in these fields. The academics is located on the last four pages of this section. The guest speakers, class projects, field trips, and the people involved in the more intellectual activities are an interesting and special group. Students are becoming more aware of their abilities and talents and we feel these pages give an insight to what is going on at Mt Empire.



Photo by Noel Shorter

David paced back nearly blind, his eyes drinking in the dark, leafy forest. The air was thick with the smell of damp earth and the sound of his boots on the ground. He had been here for hours, searching for a place to rest, but the forest seemed to be a maze of shadows and light.

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And then there was Ron. Oh, Ron who had been closer to him than any brother could have been. They had been inseparable for almost fourteen years of friendship, only to be torn apart by a damn gun. The vision of Ron's face, the sound of his laughter, the way he had looked at him, all of it was now a permanent scar on David's mind. The hours spent afterwards trying to revive his friend, screaming like a madman, were lost in a blur of pain. Ron's death, like everything else in this war, was too unreal, like a half-remembered dream.

He had come into the forest surrounding the camp with hopes of finding the sanity to write a letter to Jenni. Even here, there was no escaping the knowledge that he had shot a man. He had sought vengeance for Ron at the price of another human life, and now two men were dead, instead of one. Perhaps two million more would die, but they would not die by his hand.

David knew that when he returned to his art it would never again be the same. It will lose its innocence, he thought sadly, and with every new creation, there will be a touch of pain and death, as well as beauty and life.

Slowly, silently, he lay down the gun which troops were always required to carry, and walked back toward camp. He knew what they did to deserters, but he also knew what happened to a man who went into battle unable to kill anymore.

Story by Stefanie Saito

Many Creations

Me Within Myself

Today I watched a flower grow
watched a little river flow
found someone who would listen and talk
and together we set it about the world.

He told me to always remember
To be my own best friend

It was a beautiful day outside
But of course I hadn't noticed
Then just with his words
He made me see how much I had missed

Once I was a child
Expecting everything to go my way
But now I have to grow up quick

There is a part inside myself
That I am forced to understand

By Christi J. Bales

Dedicated to Floyd

Please Hold My Hand

Another tear, another fear
A tear for all the bad times past
A fear of life ahead
How long will the bad memories last?

I try to make you understand
But you don't hear my voice
I need someone to give me strength
And you're my only choice

I feel like I'm in a soundproof room
And you can't hear me calling
So instead I whisper "Please hold my hand
Because I'm slowly falling"

The tears are falling faster now
My life is just a blur
I don't know why this is happening
Please help me, I'm so unsure

All I want is a helping hand
And someone to tell me this isn't the end
I'm just writing this to say
"Floyd, I'm really glad you're my friend"

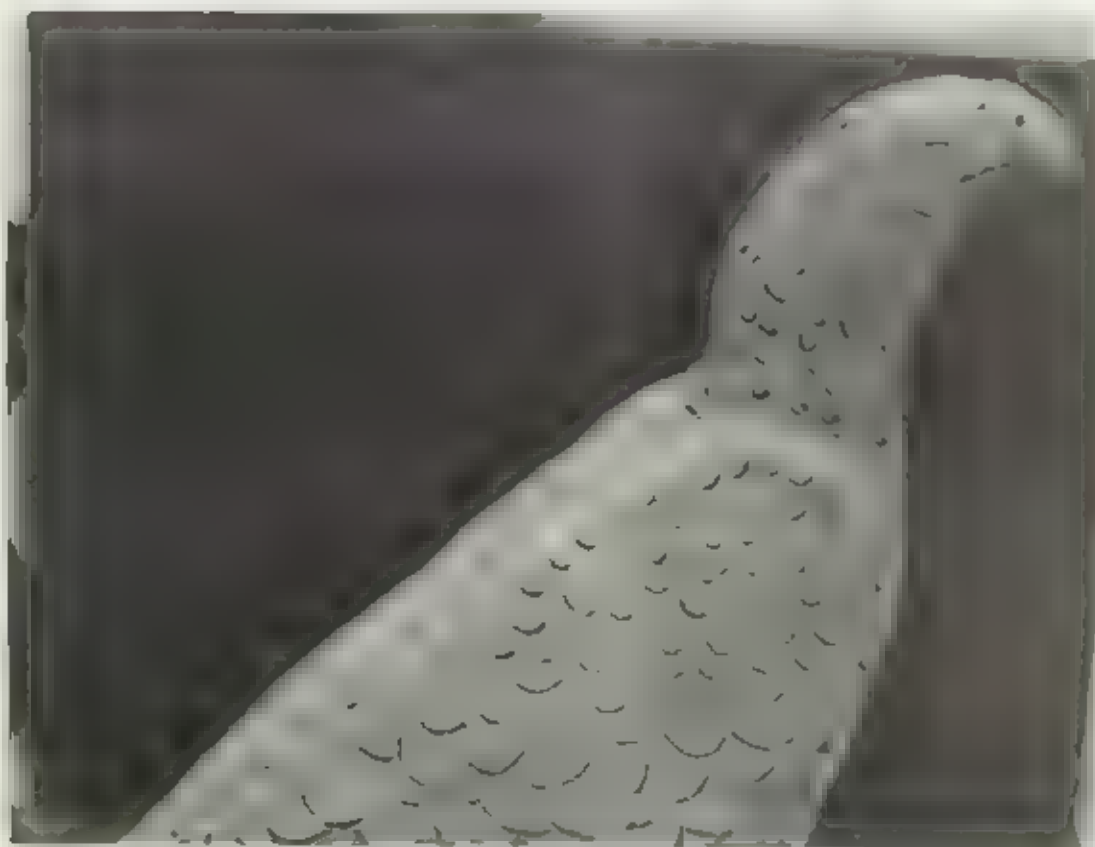
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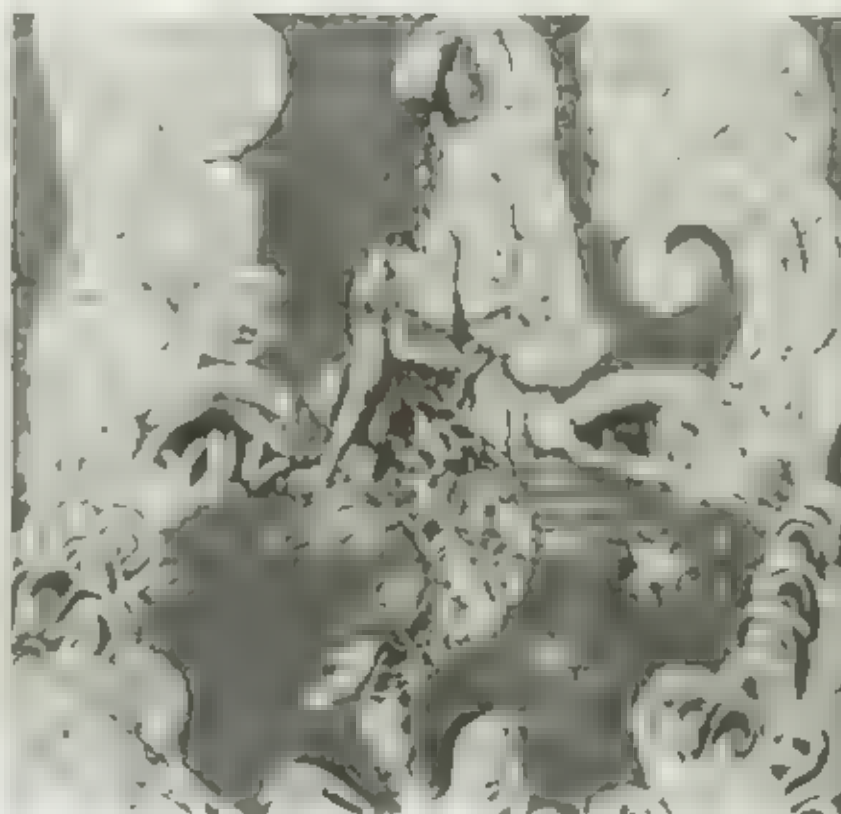
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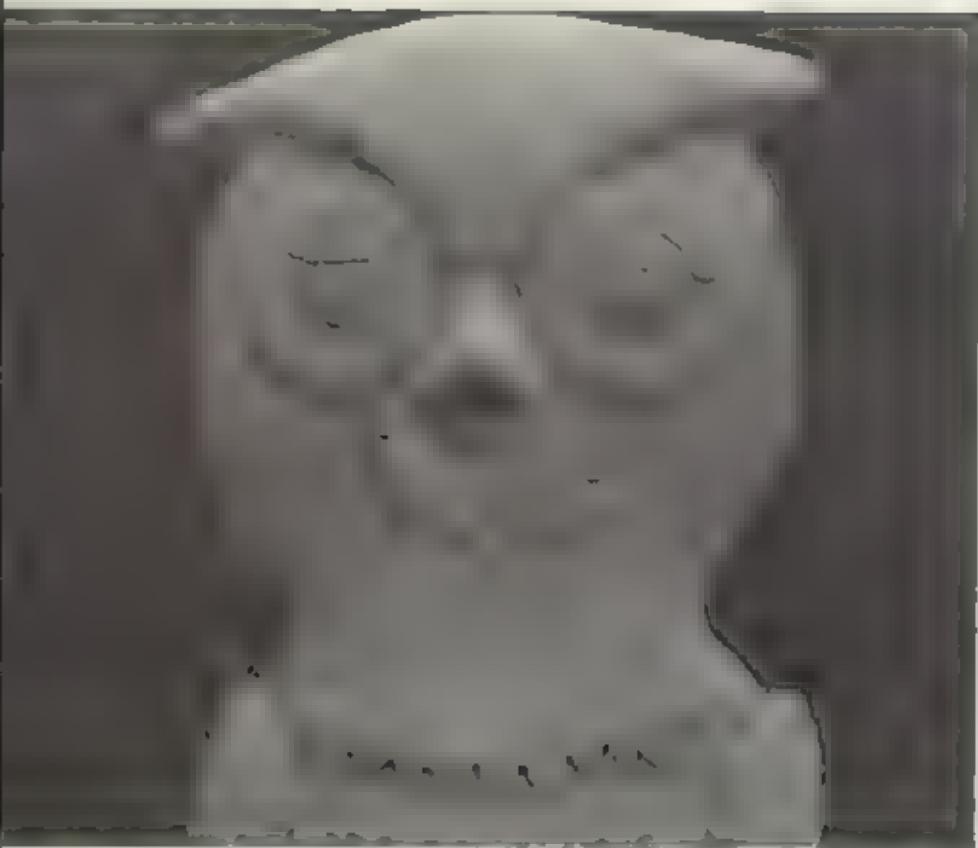
Photo by Floyd Buckwalter



Clay Eagle by Robert Wickman



Batik by Andrea Hamilton



Clay Owl by Debbie Gordon

Life

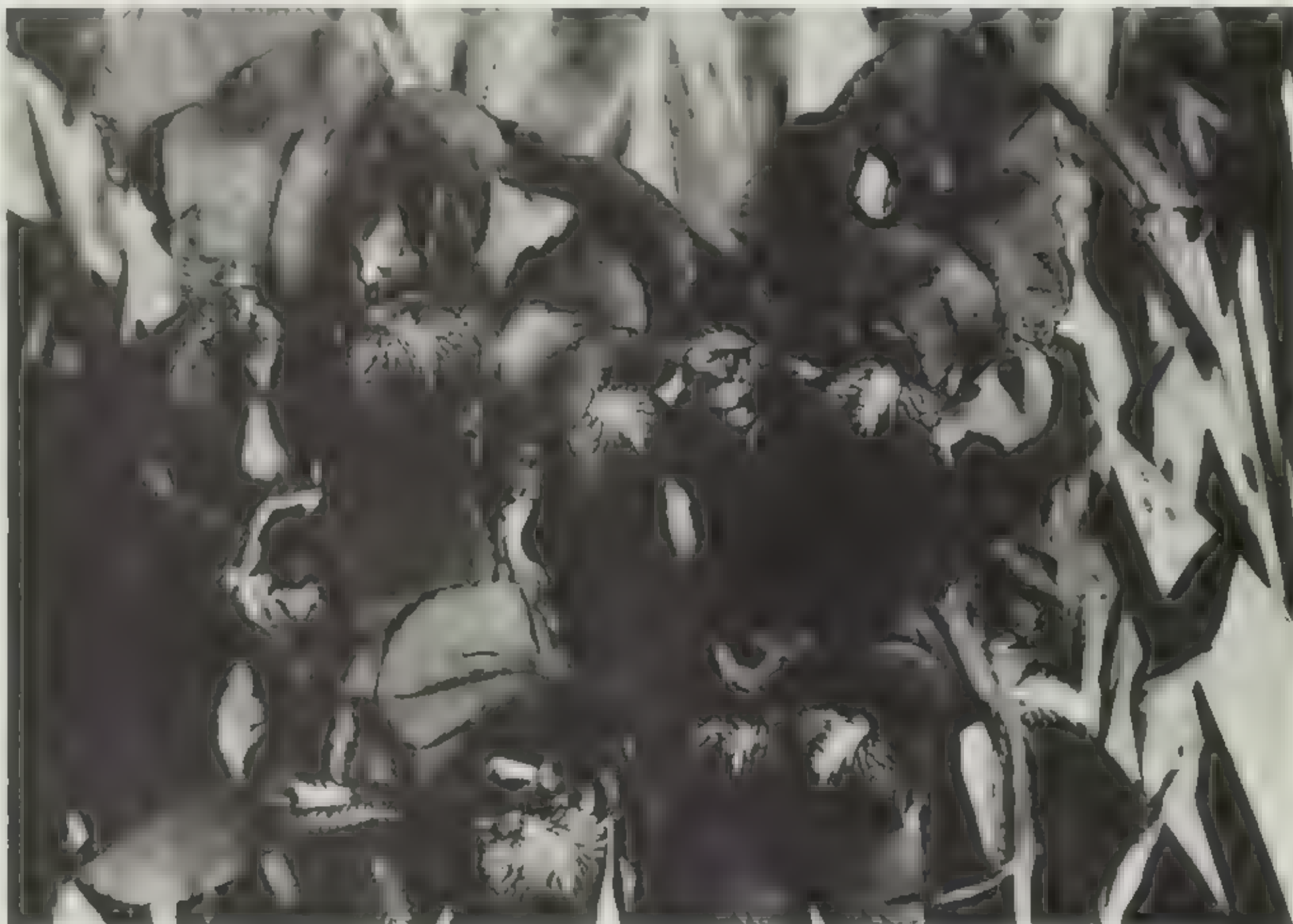
Life is what you make it
So live it through and through
Don't try to be someone else,
You're loved because you're you

Use this time in life
To get all you want and need,
To be ever so happy
You're love you'll have to feed

The world isn't all that bad
If there's someone here to love
So don't keep your head below the clouds
Keep it up above

No one lasts forever
Forever's just a word
Don't be so full of sadness
Don't listen to bad things you've heard

By Tina Metivier



"Irisa" by Sherry Jaggi



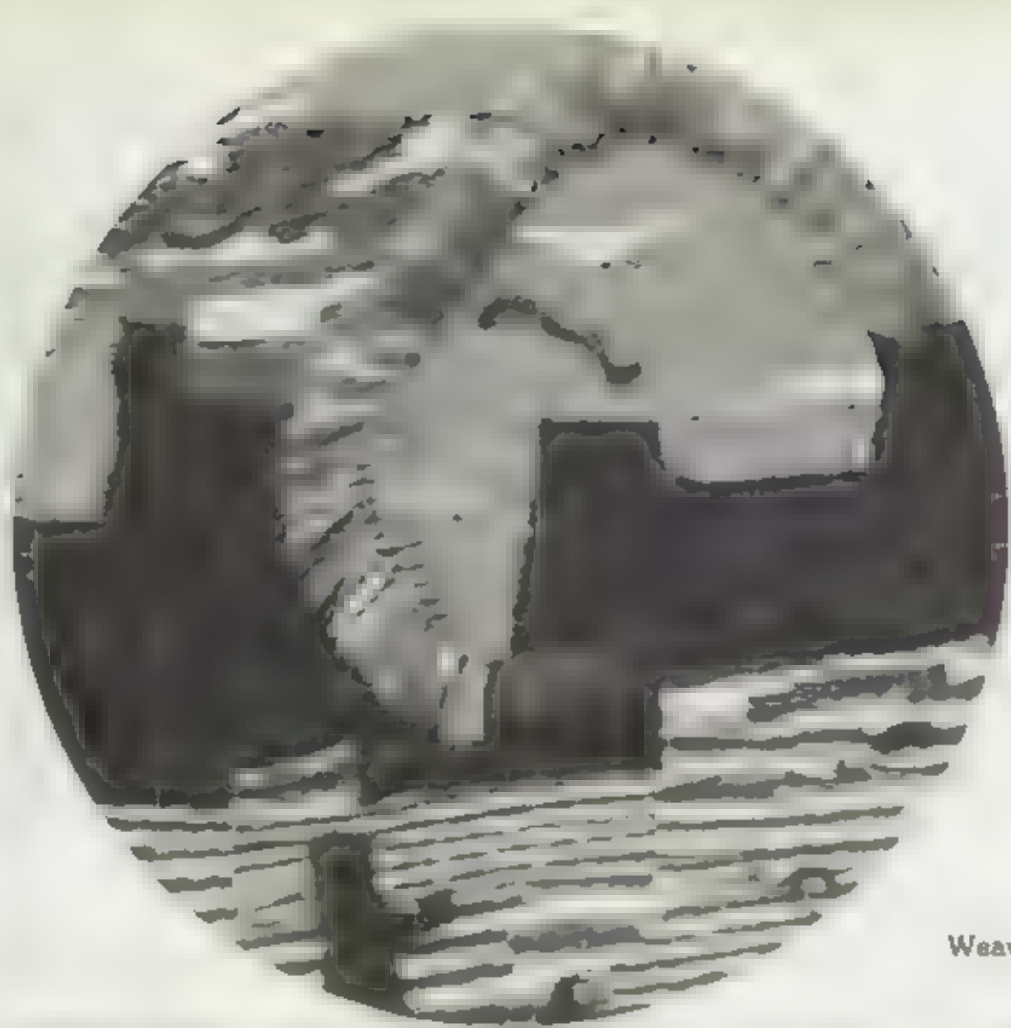
A World All Mine

I'd wake up from a sleepy doze
I'd awake into a world so fine
A world where you'd be mine

A place with many thousand friends

I know I've asked alot of you
I expected too much too soon
I'm sorry for it all
I went a little to fast thats all

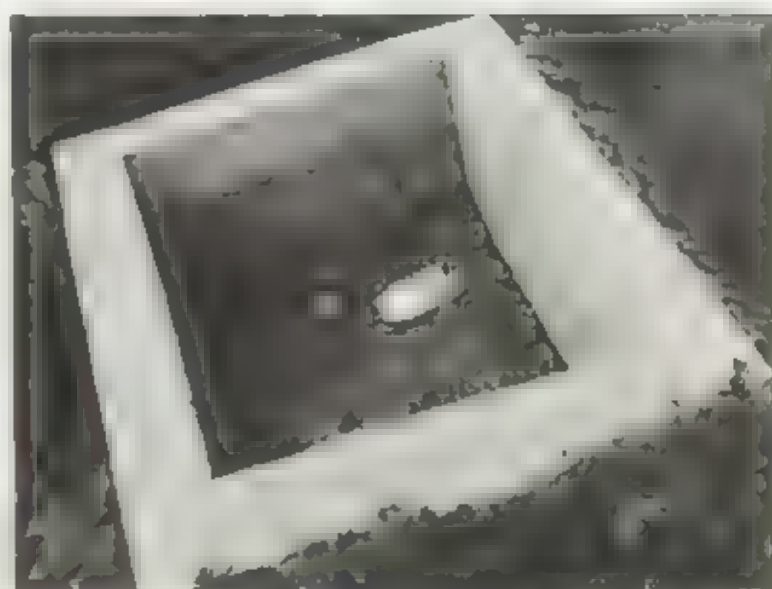
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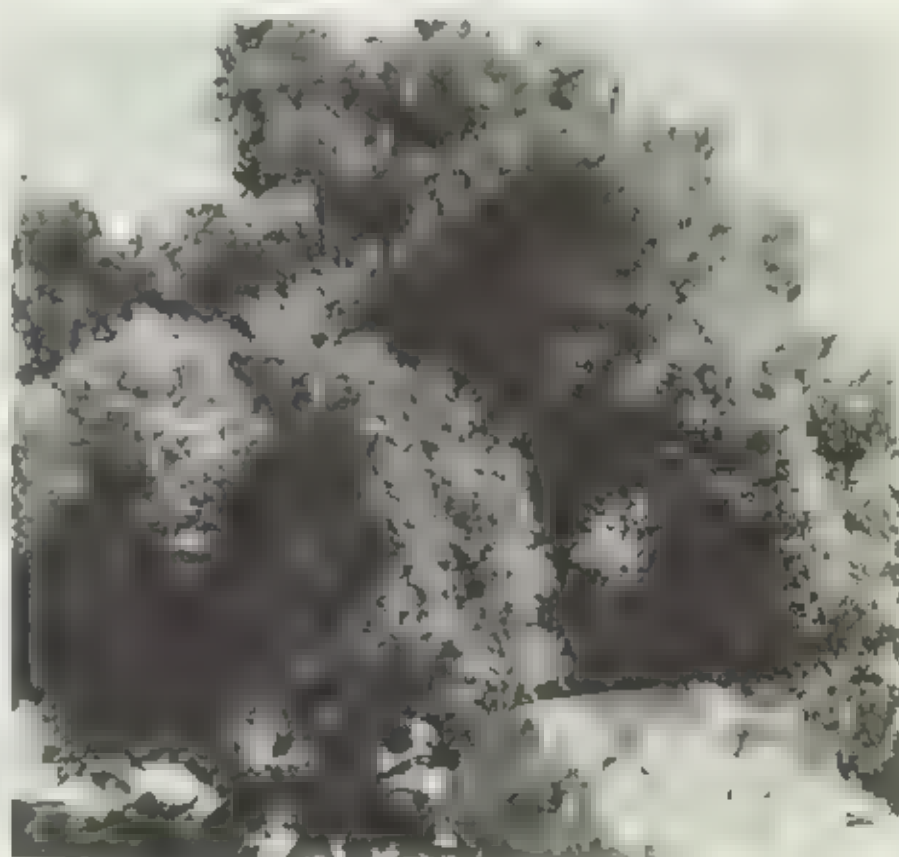
Weaving by Tammy Bartlett



By Noel Shorter



By Danny Hodges



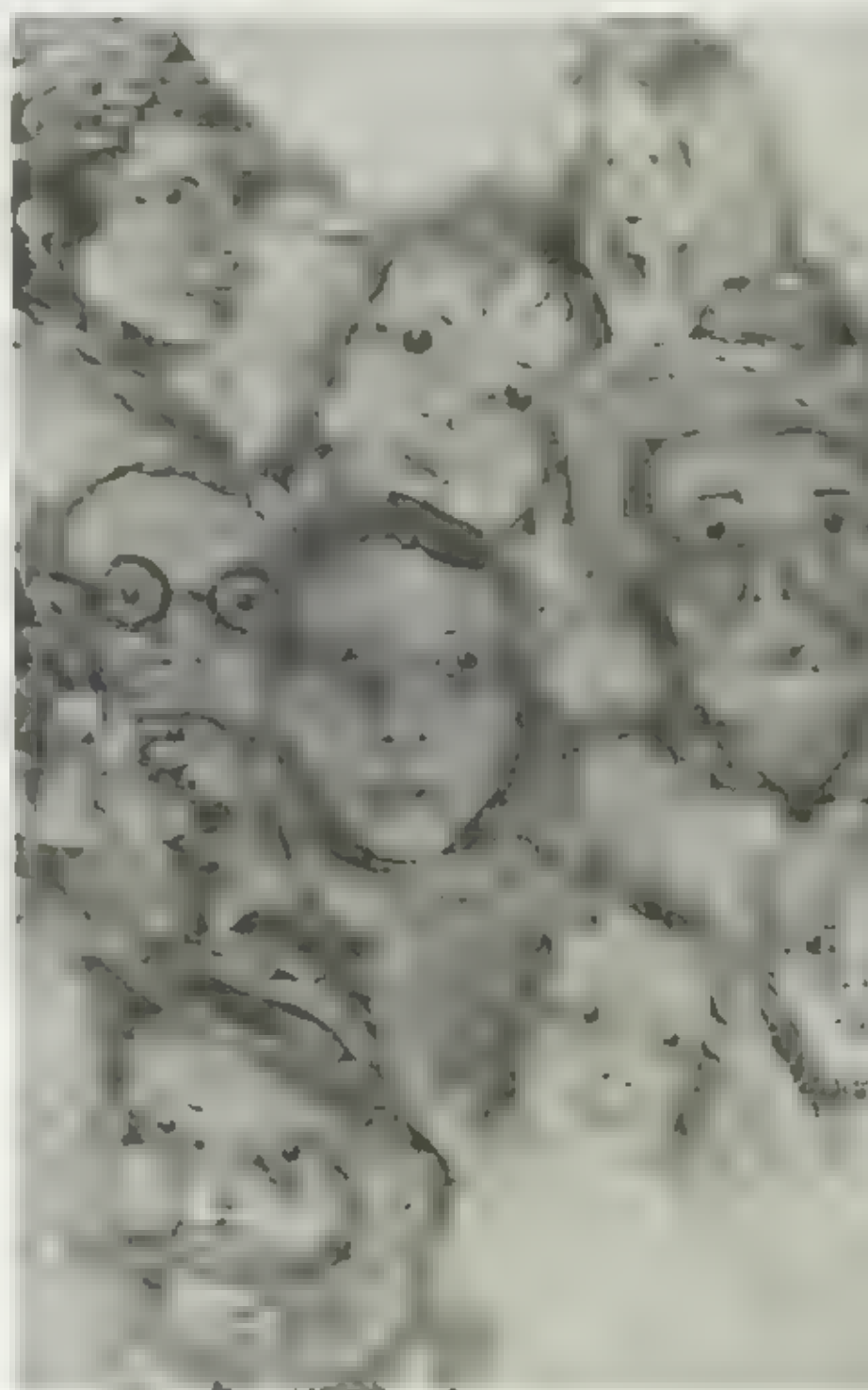
By Art Hernandez



Drawing By Karin Kor



By Becky Nunnery



Drawing by Karin Kor



Painting by Debbie Coffey

So Long Children

On a cold wood stair in a small town square
 An old man plays a guitar
 Thinks back to his younger days
 Wonders where they are
 Seen many changes
 Wonders if they'll stay
 Sits back and he takes a rest
 And watches the children play
 The children slowly gather round
 The old man sings a song
 Sings a song that makes them laugh
 And one that makes them cry
 Then they ask to come again
 And they wave good-bye
 So long children I love you
 I hope you've enjoyed my songs
 Don't you know my days are numbered
 So don't you be to long
 Most any day you will find them there
 gathered round the old man's stair
 On one cold day when the children came
 The old mans' not outside
 Very next day the children learn
 The old man had died
 So long children I love you
 I hope you've enjoyed my songs

Lyrics For Song by Clint Darnell



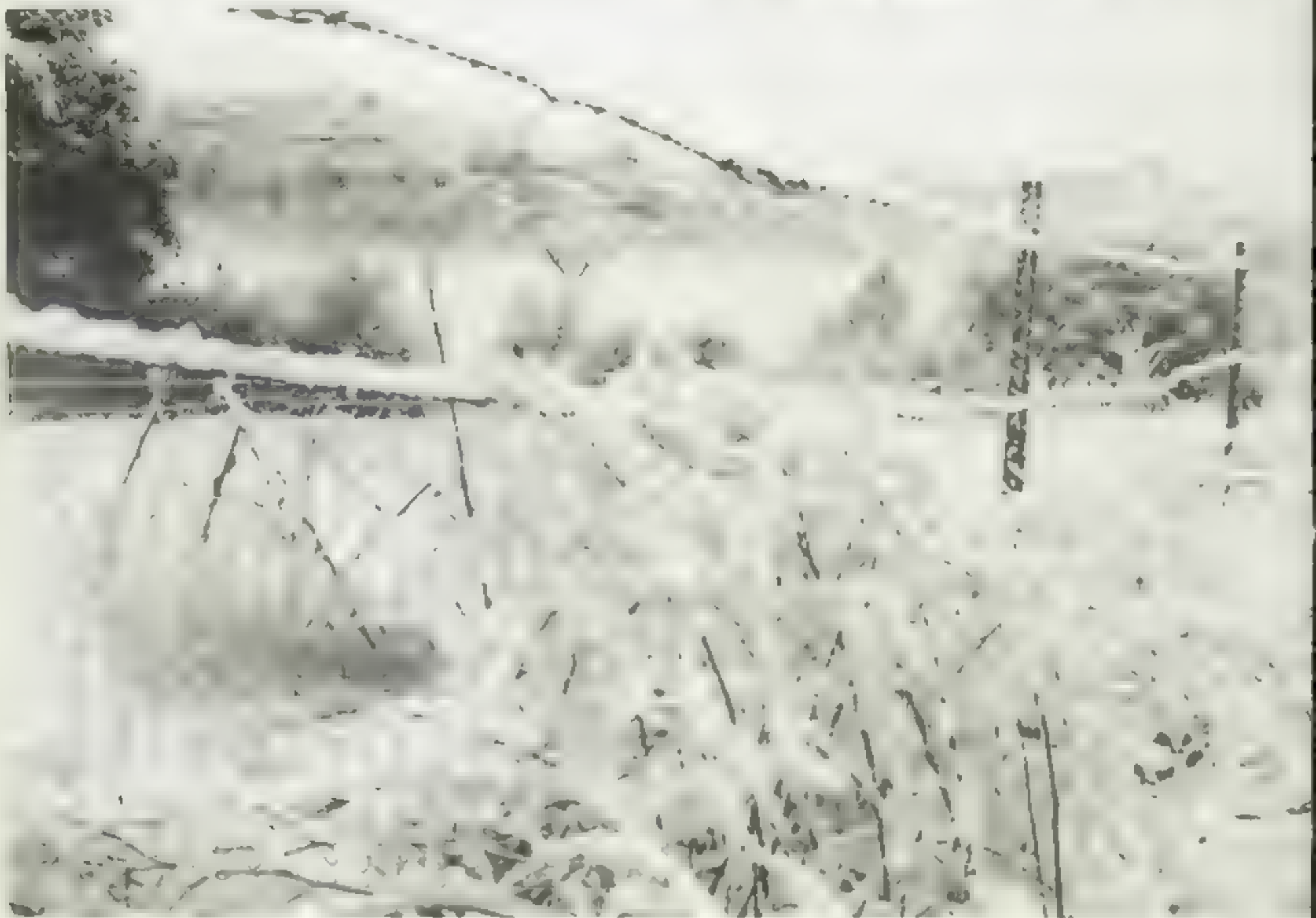
"Loren" By Becky Nunnery



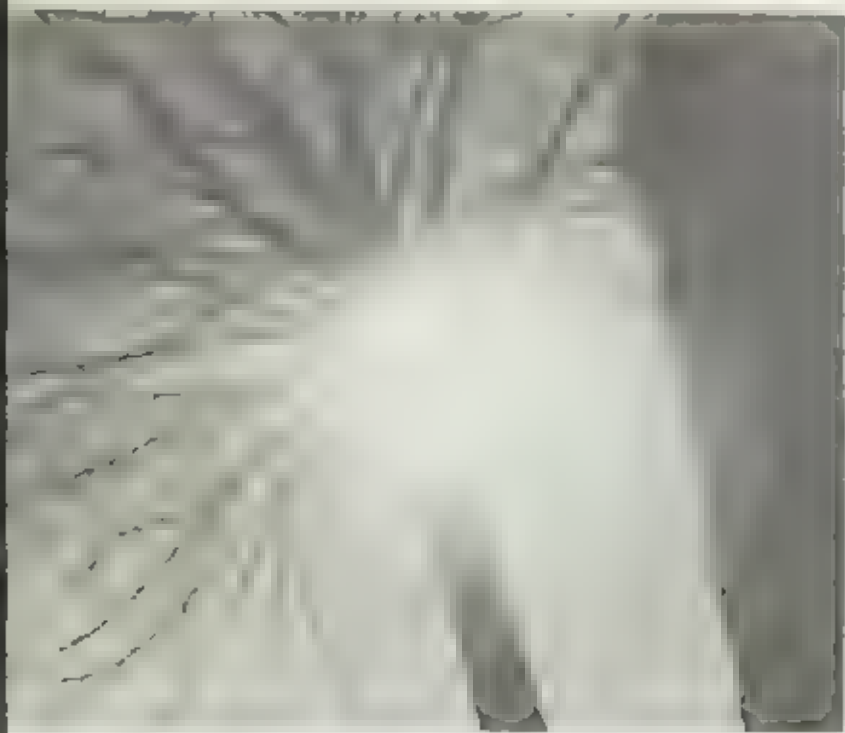
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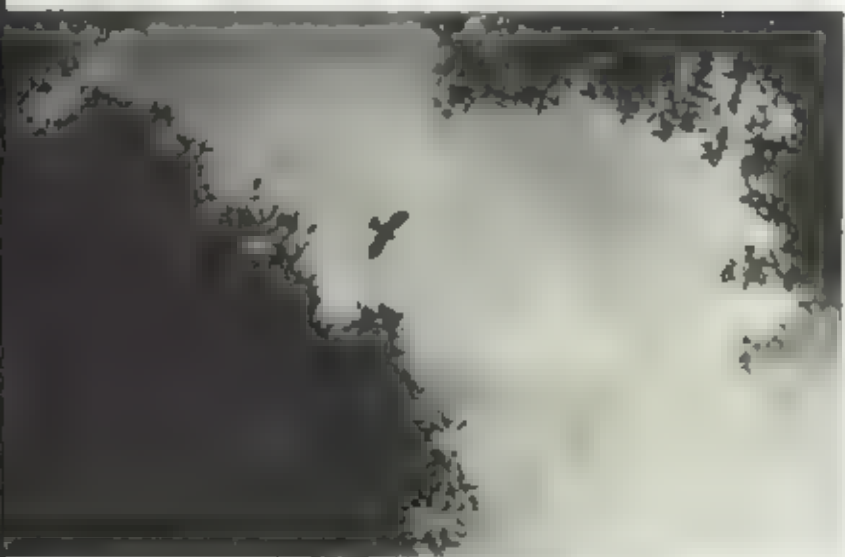
By Art Hernandez



By Tracy Meehleib



By Kelly Sayatovich



By Alan Wood

Fear For A Friend

I have this fear,
Fear for a friend
Who doesn't know
Who she is, or where she's been

She's lost in a world,
A world of her own
She listens to no one
Her thoughts always roam

I'll stand by her side
Hold out my hand
But I can't help her
No one can

She must help herself
Without pressure from her friends
But I fear for her
Her anxieties never end

If only she'd try
Her worries would go
She causes them herself
She puts on a show

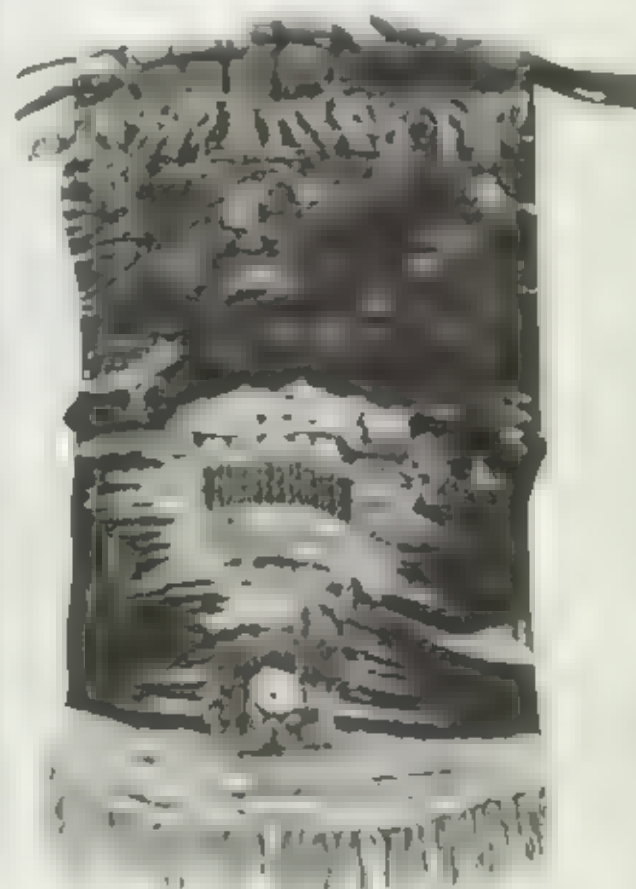
I will stand by her side
And help when I can
Until I no longer
Fear for my friend

By Julie Janssen



By PeeWee Cadwallader

Weaving by Ellen Swift



Guest speakers are a main attraction at Mt. Empire, primarily in the eleventh and twelfth grade levels. They can range from ex-convicts to army recruiters. The information and experience these people have to offer is very interesting and educational to many of the students at our school

The Government class, instructed by Mr. Braghetta, is usually taken by graduate bound students. The first semester deals with the government of the United States, (how it is run). The second semester deals with tax forms, insurance policies, and other essentials that seniors will soon be facing. This class is a requirement for high school graduates. Throughout the year this class has many guest speakers which inform these students what will be offered to them to further their education and or what jobs are available.

We have had speakers from modeling agencies, dental assistant and nurse agencies, representatives from San Diego State University and Grossmont Junior College, and our most consistent and powerful speakers, the armed services.

The army has a very attractive, organized presentation. At one of the meetings we had, on January 15, 1980, Major Gaddis spoke to the class in a very sincere and well prepared

Like most of the other speakers, he starts with the question "What am I going to do after high school?". A point he stressed was "cash". To get ahead in life you may very well need this, for in more universities, trade schools, etc., you are most likely required to have money.

He explained the many ways in which a person benefits from the army. Getting paid for going to school or learning a trade or doing just about anything is very becoming to a student with no future plans. However, when you are in the service, and that's just what it is, you are required to serve the army or the service in which you are in, in the manner in which they request.



Roger perhaps puzzled?

A San Diego State Representative



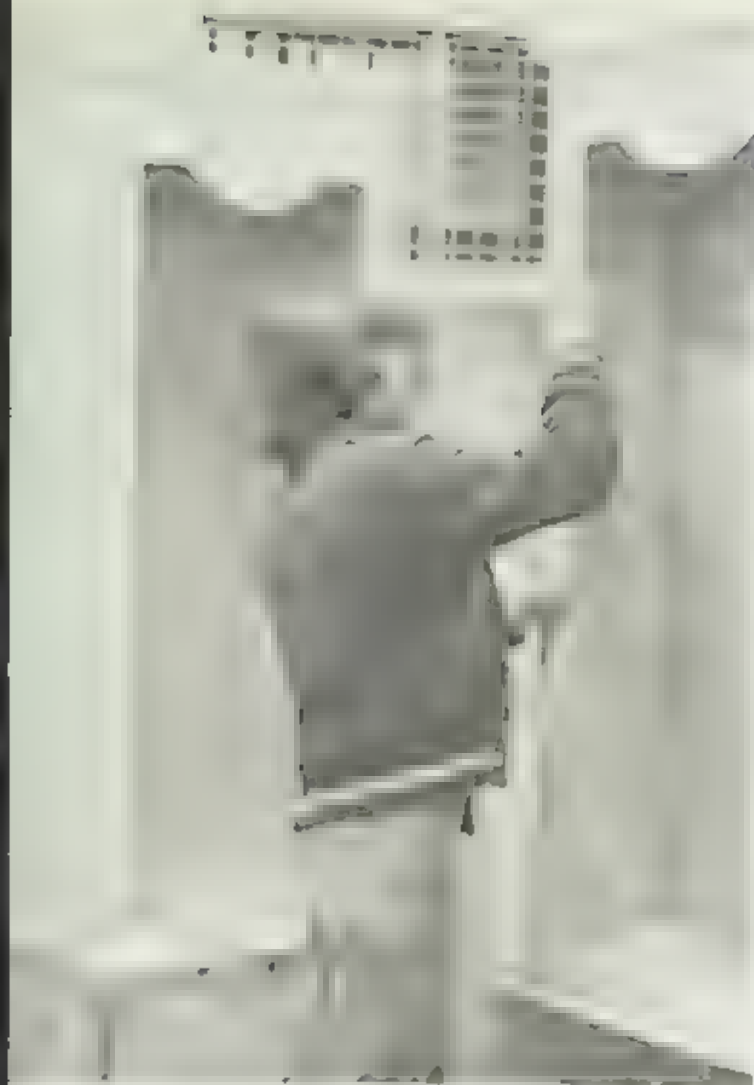
Karin K listens attentively



Students in government class



Students ask questions after meeting



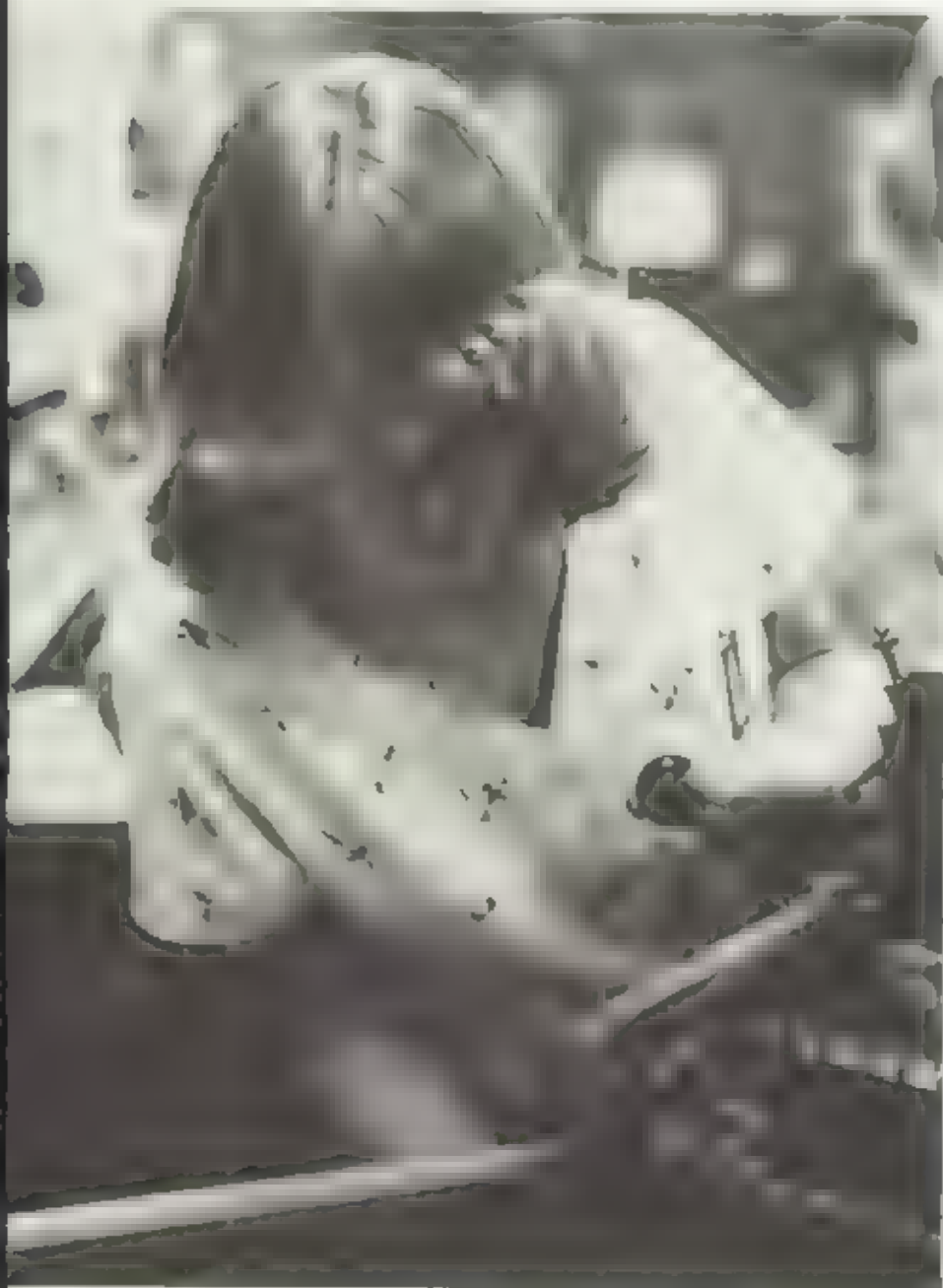
Burl Lester works on cabinets

Woodshop is a favorite among Mountain Empire students. Mr. Crandall is the instructor, and teaches this class four times a day to both junior high and high school. The junior high is given a list of required projects they must finish, and the high school students are given a required list and when they finish this they may begin more and bigger projects. Some of these projects include: gunracks, large cabinets, lamps, and large tables

The Regional Occupation Program (ROP) established by the Board of Education of San Diego County is a growing and popular class at Mountain Empire. It is an opportunity for young people to learn different vocational skills such as, auto tune-up, secretarial practice, small business administration, motorcycle repair, and presently here, graphic arts. The instructor in this area is Bernie Holt



Steve Martinez busy at building a hutch



Ginger S. learning to use print machine



Mr. Holt listens to Hugh L

Mr. Schramm is the driver education teacher. This class is a requirement for high school graduates, and is taken within one semester. The class involves bookwork and then the actual driving in the driver education car. Students are first taught to drive in the school area and then they



Demonstrating the "Brake reaction timer"



Come to me Darling!

eventually drive in the downtown areas, the total amount of hours being six

This year Mt. Empire Drama Department put on a series of plays. This first play was "Time Out For Ginger", in which was an all school play. The second play was "My Three Angels", put on by the Senior class. Next came "Dracula", which consisted of students only from the Drama Club. And the last play was "The Sound of Music", which was open to all high school students interested in becoming singing stars!



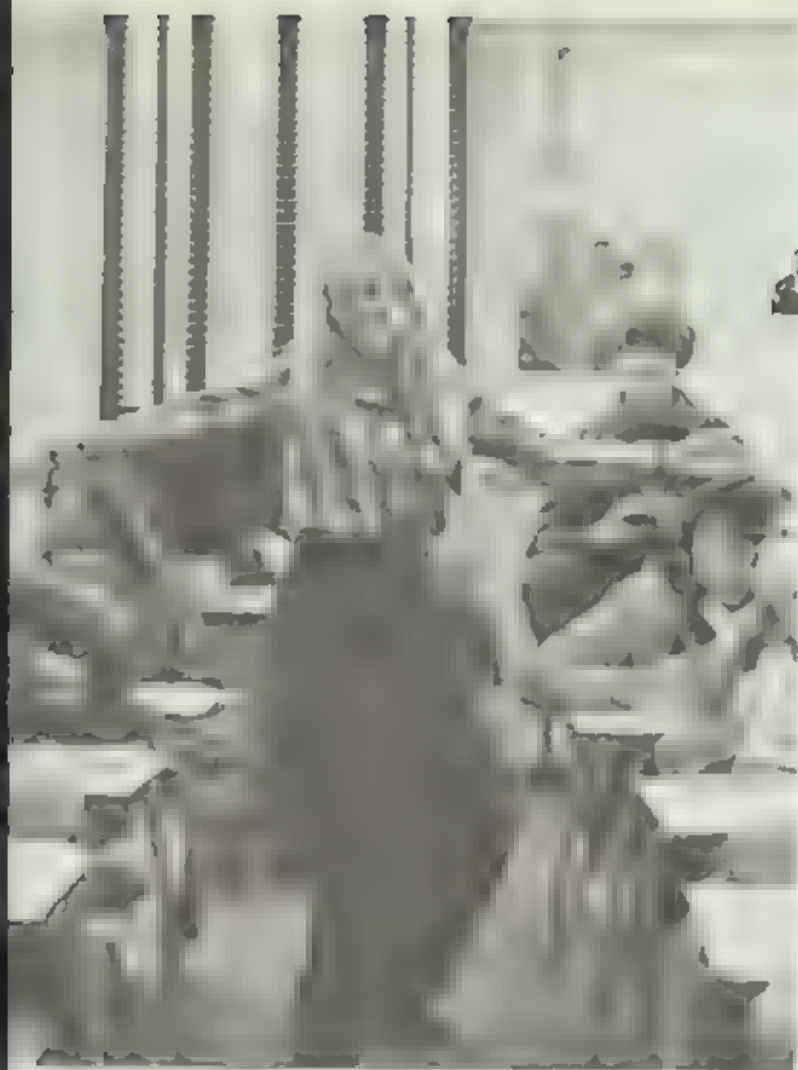
Picture speaks for itself!



Lucy, Steve, Frank and Darryl in "My Three Angels"



Maybe she won't notice



Miss Scott, demonstrates drama technique



Student learning mouth to mouth, (CPR)



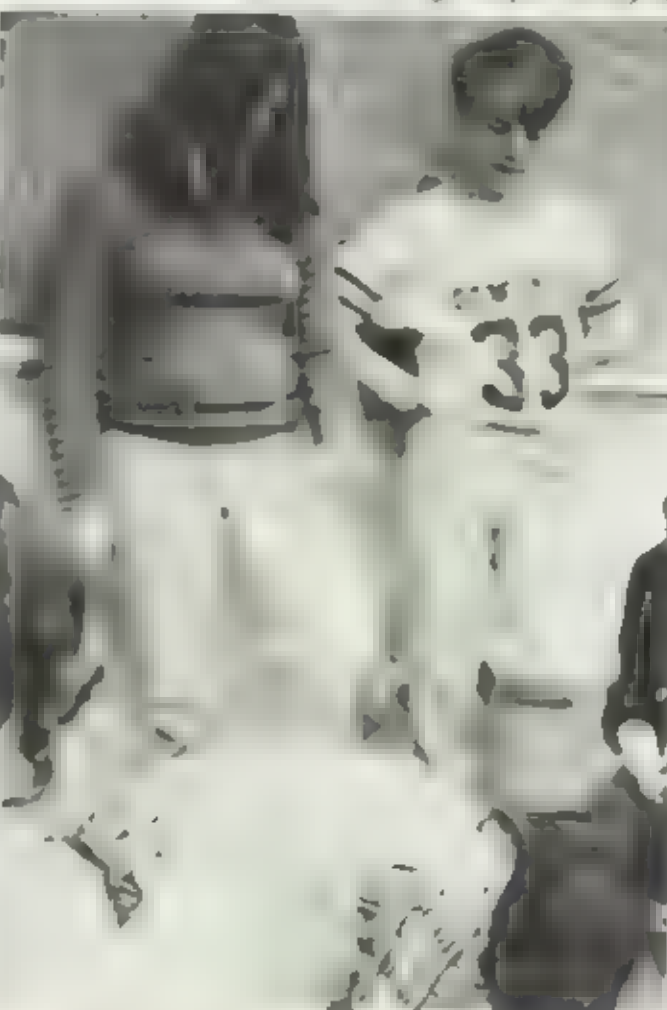
Enjoying their basket weaving

This year we have a new program at Mt. Empire, called Explore. It involves the junior high. Usually each year a student has the choice of taking one or two electives. But this year each student has a schedule that differs every quarter, consisting of four different subjects. They are health, homemaking, woodshop, and art. All the students take these classes and learn the skills involved. This system gives the student a chance to learn about classes they normally would not take. Mr. Davidson teaches the Health class which branches out into many fields such as family life, sex education and CPR. The homemaking teacher is Mrs. Crane, teaching both boys and girls to sew, cook, clean. Mr. Crandall teaches the woodshop, Mrs. Gibbs instructs these young students techniques of drawing and painting, crafts, and weaving.

The seventh grade changes every third part of the year. These students take Home Economics, Art. And Speech/Drama, which is taught by Miss Scott.



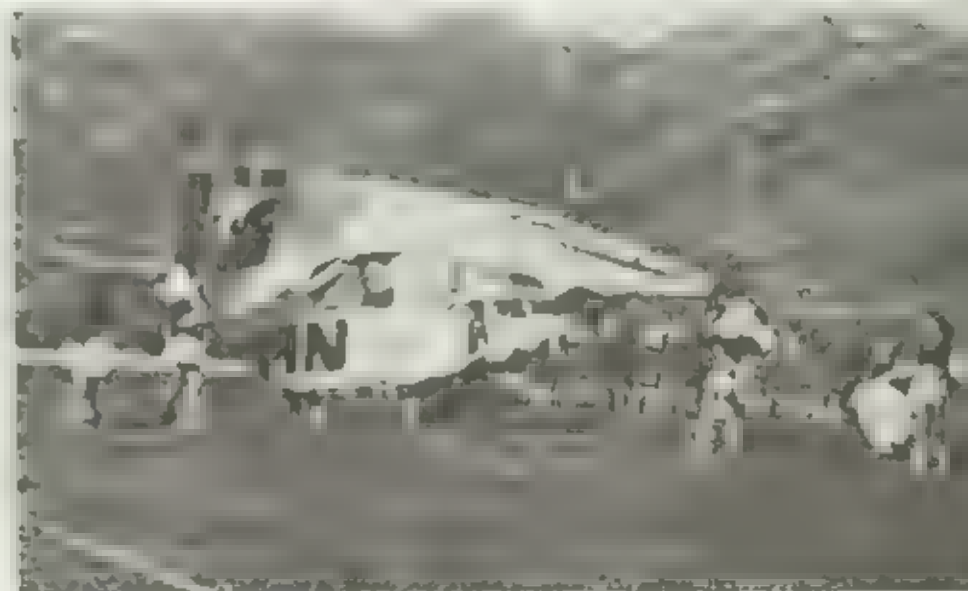
Demolishing the pizza they made



Students watch CPR demonstration

Mountain Empire High School Football, Basketball, Baseball, Track, Tennis, Softball, Volleyball, and Wrestling are events which the majority of our student body attends. Countless time and effort is spent on team practice under the direction of our fine coaches. Men and women working together make teams which try their best against county-wide competition.

Our ambition is to make all league, C.I.F. finals, and be number one. So each student feels a great responsibility for his or her special sport. Meeting new people, learning more interests, and experiencing the excitement of winning is a great way to grow. And the growth appears in each and every year.



In the past few years, new sports for women have developed. More and more women are participating each year and achieving impressive goals! For the first time women letter-holders from recent years are purchasing letter jackets (sponsored by the Women's Athletic Club). Medals, trophies, ribbons, and plaques now are given to women as well as men. Last year's women's most athletic trophy was presented to Punkey Burrows at the final spring sports banquet.

After each season a sports banquet is held. A delightful dinner is served and then the coaches present their awards. After working through a rough season and becoming C.I.F. champs like our baseball team did last year, the banquet becomes the traditional time and place for athletes to receive their well-earned credit and appreciation. Achieving an award is the high point of the whole season for those honored few.

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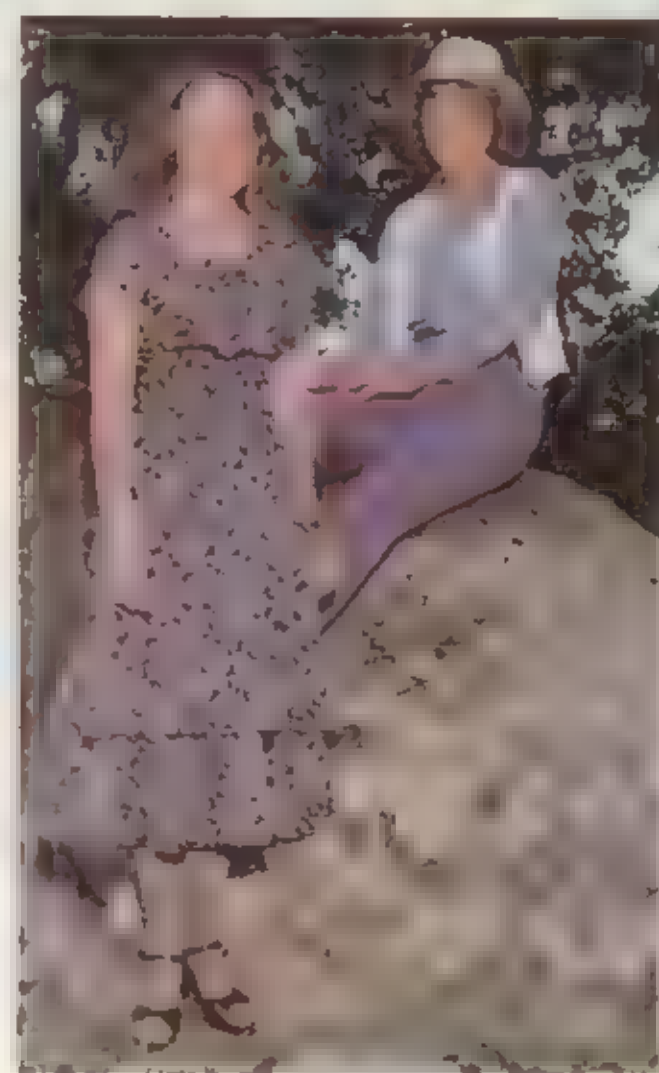


EVENTS



The agony, ecstasy, and accomplishments are evident in this year's book. Our members are almost all newcomers, with only a few returning from last year's staff. We are all working, striving, and helping each other to make this the best book ever. After learning the basics of yearbook production, each staff member picks and creates his own section and devotes many long tedious hours. Layouts, writing copy, and getting interesting pictures took up hours of precious time.

There is much happiness and enjoyment derived in constructing a yearbook. Knowing in advance what the football pictures look like, or the often hilarious classroom scenes are just two things that only staff members are allowed. The privilege of being the first to see class pictures, senior pictures, and senior best, are a few others. Yearbook can be very time consuming, but it always pays off.



The Yearbook Takes On New Dimensions.



Turning Twisting

On Friday November 16th, 1979, at five pm in the evening, spirited students boarded two pep buses, bound for the C.I.F. playoffs with Army-Navy. These buses contained much excitement and anxiety arriving at Mountain Miguel High School at seven thirty p.m. Junior Varsity football players brought up to varsity for the C.I.F. finals were; Tom Harkness, Sherman Looney, Chuck McGuffie, Johnny Meyers, and Danny Raybould

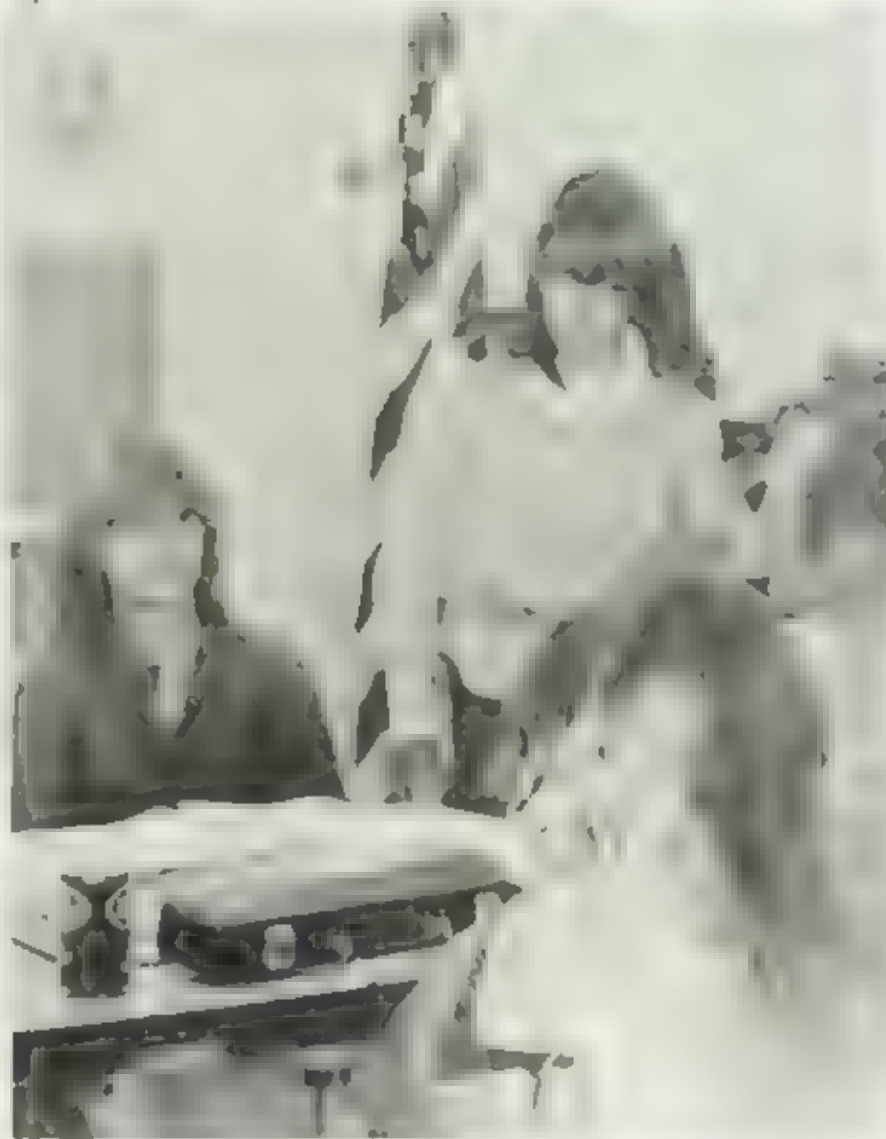
Returning seniors from recent years came and supported our Redskin team. Programs were sold by our enthusiastic cheerleading squad including many members of the Pep Club

Redskins played a rough game we were ahead until after half-time when Army-Navy scored against us, taking the lead 8 to 7, final score was 7-16, Army-Navy's favor

Returning from a restful three-day weekend Tuesday November 13th during 3rd period an assembly was held in the gym. The March Air-Force band entertained us with popular hits such as; "Dim out the lights", "Chuck E's in love", and "My Sharona". Many students and teachers were involved, for example, Mr. Buda jumped up dancing his way to the singer pleasing the crowd



And Winging Through Our Year

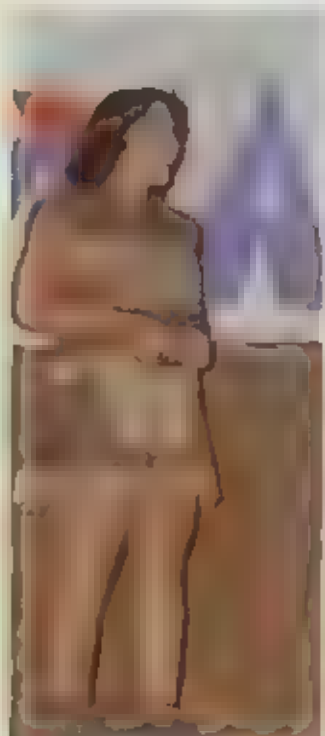


The Associated Student Body is made up of all the students in good standing enrolled in Mountain Empire High school. The purpose of the student body is to develop an effective student government for the promotion and advancement of citizenship, scholarship, athletics, recreation, and character training

Our hard working A.S.B. officers are, President, Chuck Mady, Vice President, Todd Hetrick, Secretary, Yvonne Magnusson, Treasurer, Susan Ortmeier, Parliamentarian, Andrea Hamilton. Appointed officers are, Faith Anderson, Commissioner of Pep, Debbie Coffey, Commissioner of Publicity, Gaylen Miller, Commissioner of Concessions, and Lisa Washburn, Representative to the Board. Assistant commissioners are, Karen Schwarten, Julie Gordon, Nanette Neuman, Freya Renaker, and Tina Metivier. The A.S.B. advisor is Mr. Miller.



This years active A.S.B. meets every day, sixth period, in the band room. Here, the decision of school functions are decided. The associated student body, headed by President Chuck Mady, is having an exceptionally successful year. There are sixteen active members who discuss and vote on matters such as sports, dances, drama, club meetings, and the general organizations of school spirit and pep.



Life

Turning, Tuning, And Timing



Front Row left to right Lorie Fotland, Mary Jo Halsrud, Donna Olson, Emmett's Ayua, Ken Cantrell. Row 2 James Simmons, Sean Carter, Rene Bryant, Roxann Roma, Valerie Labaugh, Lisa Westiger, Jodie Fotland, Annette Sargent. Row 3 Krista Marina, Catherine Davis, Marcella Anderson, Tom Ashai, Cindy Neumann. Standing Row 4 Mike Orlowski, Robert Kirby, Doug Lane, Charles Huger, Paul Garcia, Jeff Pratt, Scott Cambell, Amy Bowers, Dirk Thompson, Robert Sparks, Ric Bailey.

October 26 . . excitement . . hilarious . . spirited enthusiastic . . . assembly. This was homecoming and the assembly was during 2nd period with the cheerleaders. It consisted of a "who kissed me" contest in which the contestants were blindfolded. Mr. Prince and Mr. Miller gave some smooches to these contestants while the crowd was crying with laughter. Following this contest, our beautiful homecoming candidates were escorted by our fellow Mountain Empire gentlemen. A spirit yell was won by the Freshmen and they were awarded with a red and gold spirit stick which was hung up in our trophy case

During lunch, students were allowed to vote for the homecoming queen candidates. These candidates were Lisa Muir, Lisa Washburn, Karen Schwarten, Julie Gordon, and Liz Vinson. Also two contests were held, Shelly Wagner won for the corniest red and gold outfit and Johnny Price who won the Macho Man of the Day. Following lunch, at 12:00 o'clock our football games began. Varsity and Junior Varsity finished with great victories; Junior Varsity — 37-0 and Varsity — 43-0. During half-time homecoming candidates and class queens were paraded on cars around the field with much applause.

Later, Juniors sponsored a turkey dinner that many people attended. The coronation followed and people came from all around to see our glamorous candidate being crowned, Miss Liz Vinson. Friends gathered with excitement and congratulated her. The first runner-up was Lisa Washburn and Miss Congeniality was Julie Gordon

Later, a homecoming dance was held from 8:00 to 11:00 p.m.. The band, M & M's, played. Traditionally, homecoming is a time when alumni return to Mountain Empire for a visit

1979 Stirred Many Memories

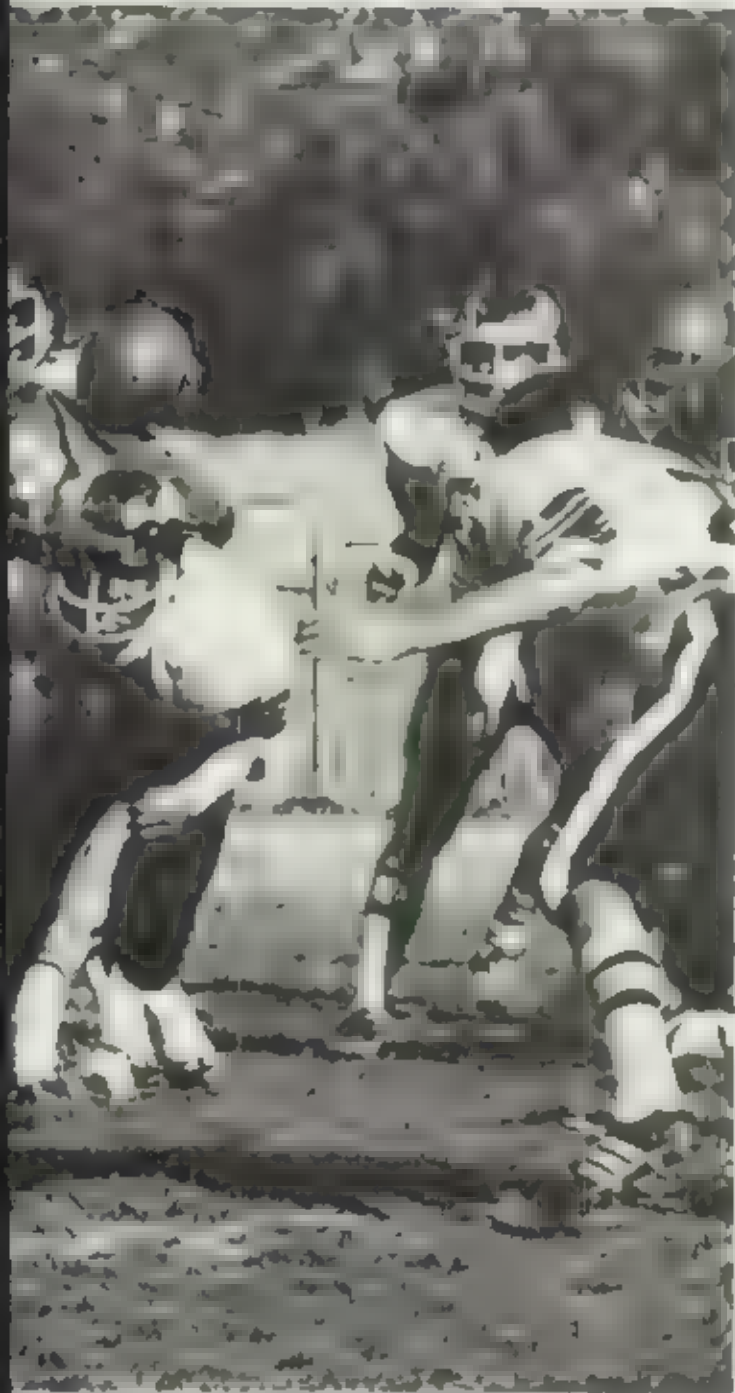


A split second decision by Steve Martinez

An unexpected kiss from Mr. Miller to Bobby Price



... As Alumni Return



a question of perennial interest to all students is who will be the most athletic senior of the year. There are so many great senior athletes each year that it is always difficult for the coaches to select the truly outstanding athlete. Last year, Mr. Jones was awarded the trophy for "The Most Athletic Senior of 1978-79". This year, as we go to press, the winner of this most coveted award has yet to be determined from among a large number of spirited and vigorous athletes . . . both male and female

Our wrestling team, supervised by Coach Miller has gone to the C.I.F. finals and league championships for the past several years and this year the team plans to do it again. Good Luck Guys!


Last year, baseball, for the first time in history, won C.I.F. The outlook for 1980 baseball promises to be exciting with Mike Davis again on the pitcher's mound

During the 78-79 season, girl's basketball and tennis made a great improvement. Track entered the finals, women taking 2nd place and the men taking 3rd. This year track with Coach Braghetta and Coach Thomson are planning a new and better year for the women and men athletic runners

EVENTS! It was such enthusiastic participation of the student body that gave that special winning spirit to the 1979-80 Mountain Empire High School year! All in all, it was a fun year for all athletic programs and one that we won't forget

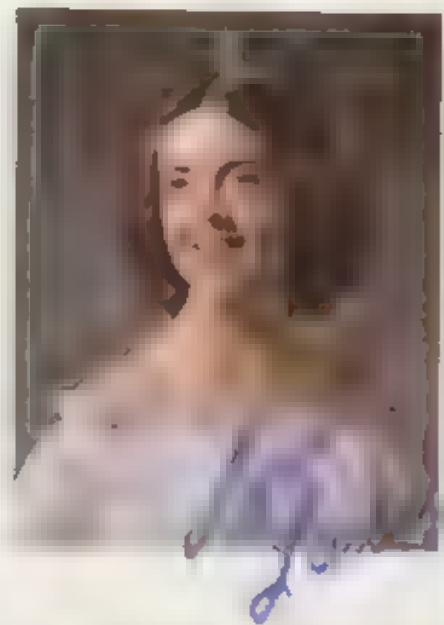
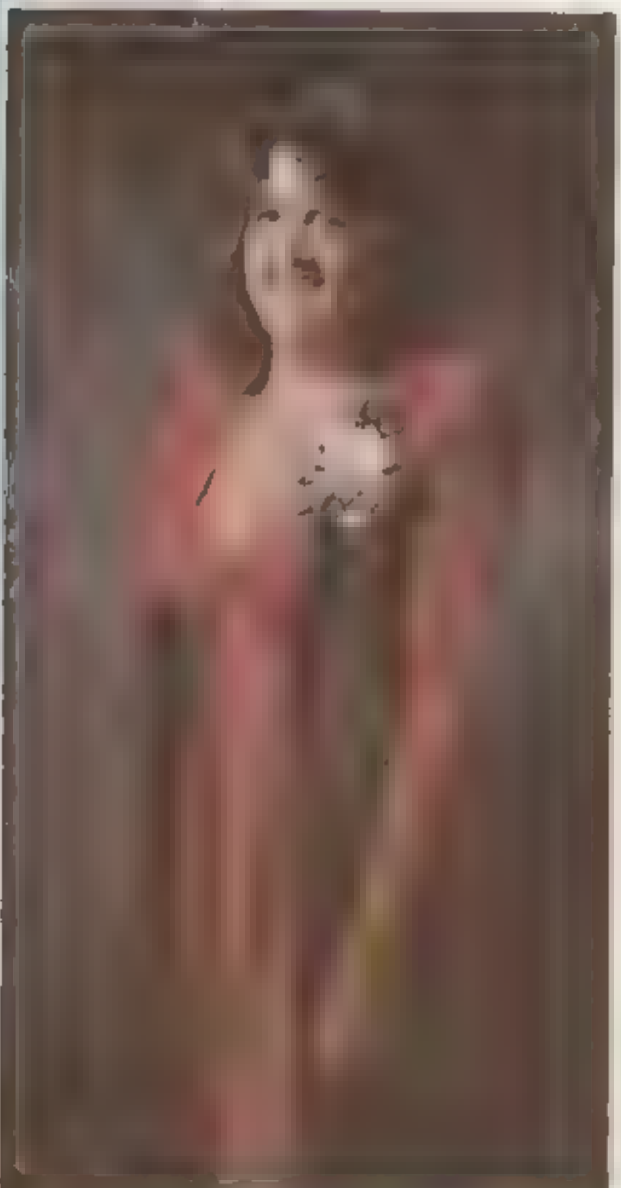
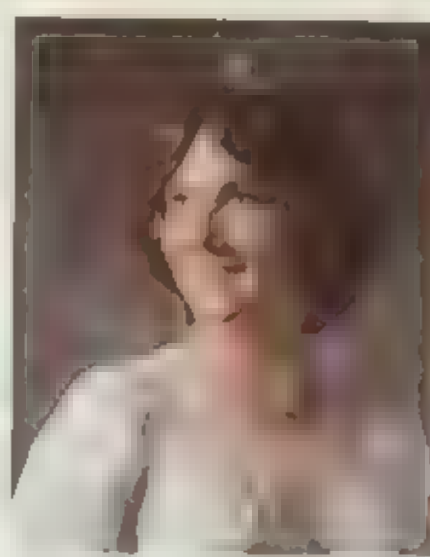
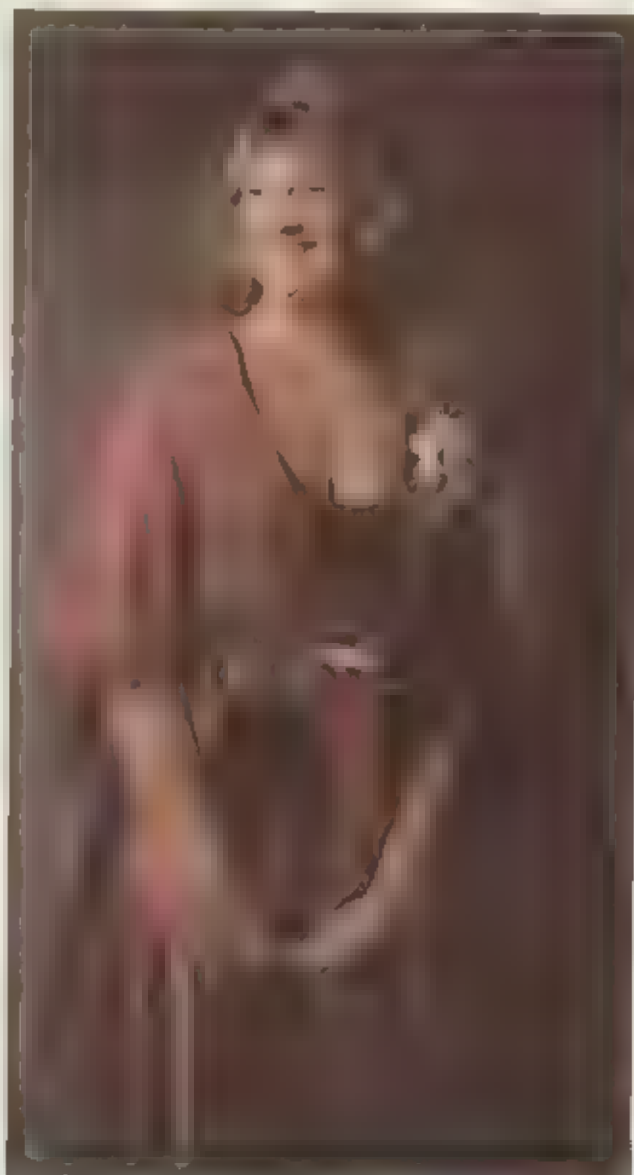


Mr. Muir escorts his lovely daughter Lisa, while Mr. Gordon enters with his beautiful daughter Julie



Homecoming was held on October 26, 1979. Liz Vinsen was crowned Homecoming that evening. Liz along with Lisa Washburn, Lisa Muir, Julie Gordon, Karen Schwartz, were selected from ten girls by the student body. Ten girls are nominated by the Variety Football players before the second election. Five girls are then chosen by the student body. Every year at Homecoming there is also the election of the class queens. Each class 9th through 12th chooses a girl to represent their class. This year the Freshman Class, chose Middy Ballard as their queen. Middy is a cheerleader and has attended Mt. Emery all her school years. The Sophomore Class selected Cheri Dudley. Cheri has been involved in many school activities. She is involved this year with ASB as Commissioner of Publicity, and with her class as well. Laura Muir was selected as class queen for the Juniors. Laura has been involved in school clubs and especially in her own class organization. This year she is secretary of her class.

The Senior's class queen is Lacy Tiltlock. Lacy has attended Mt. Emery all her life and has always been deeply involved in many organizations. She is the President of the Senior Class this year and is a member of Honor Society, C.S.P., Pep Club and has been active in 4-H Club.





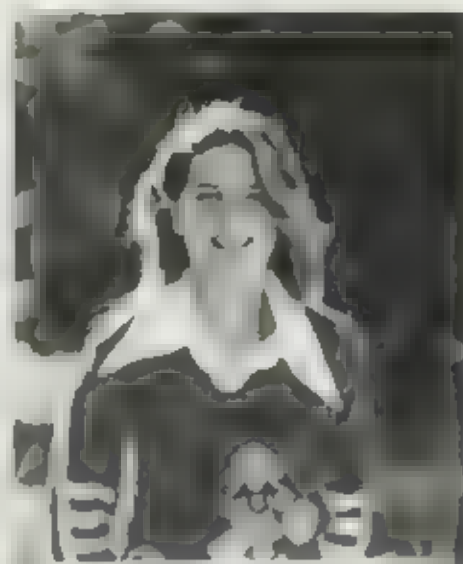
Leann Nunes and Teresita Lynch



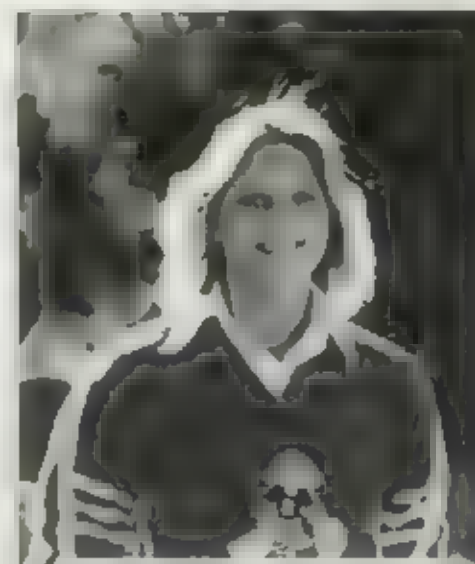
Each afternoon, the open space area echos with chants from the Mountain Empire Cheerleaders. The squad consists of fourteen spirited girls who enthuse our Mountain Empire crowds during athletic events and activities. This year with help from two mascots, our cheerleaders are working hard together and progressing through a successful season. Their advisor, Mrs. Keating is well organized and very helpful.



Lynette Page



Stacie Swift



Anita McGuffie



Chris Keating



Kim Lattery

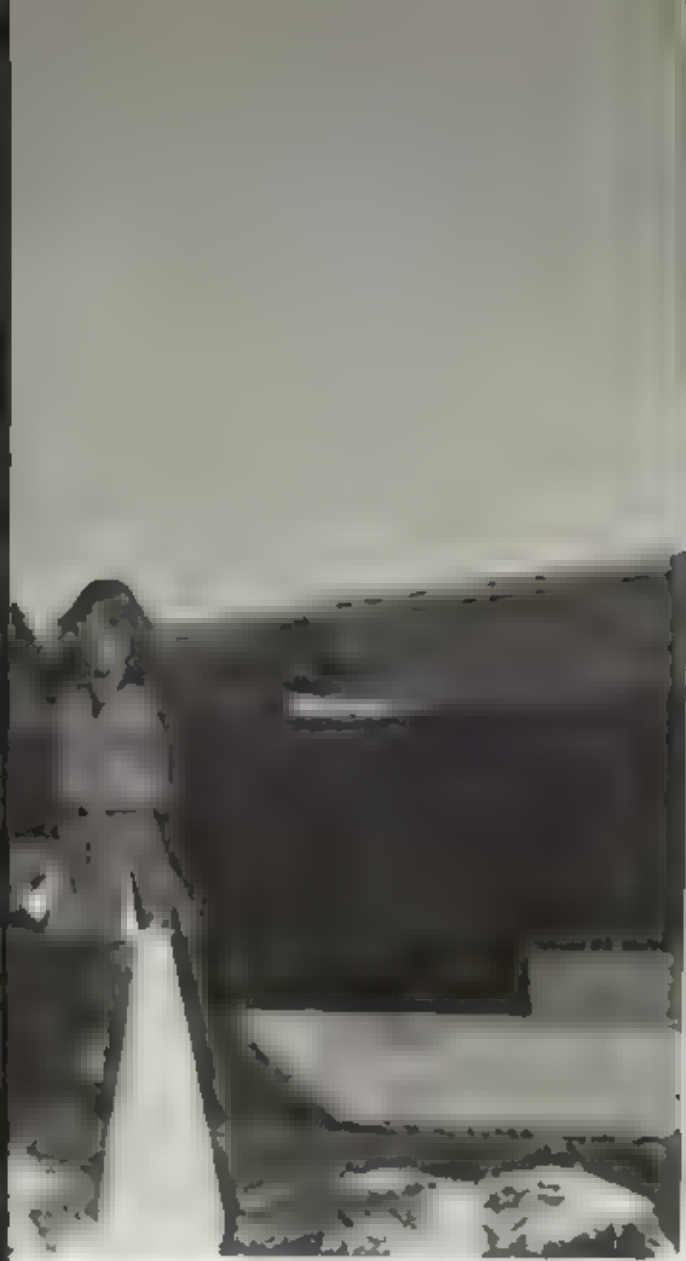


Middy Ballard



Lisa Washburn

Spirit We Are On Our Way!



Many long hours of practice enable Junior Varsity and Varsity to put together these terrific and crowd pleasing stunts



Sany Byaray



Anita Thomas



Tina Metivier

Below; Terry Page, a varsity cheer leader is involved with and lends help at the yearbook assembly Terry was absent for the formal cheerleader pictures



Julie Gordon

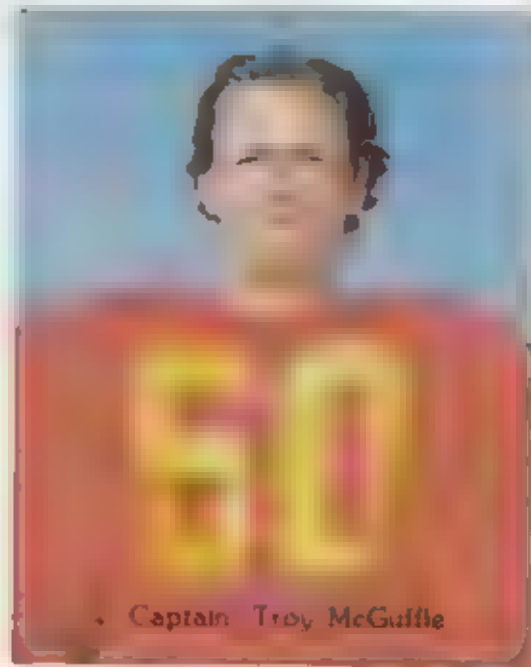


Varsity Top Row Coach Bill Prince, Clint Darnell, Barry Essex, Bobby Carpenter, Tony Breerton, Roger Wammack, Linda Hetrick, Charlie Fane
 Second Row Hugh Laster, Brian Cassinger, Frank Thomas, Steve Matesz, Fred Cox, Glen Ledgerwood, Mike Fowler, Troy McGuffie, Anthony
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Junior Varsity Top Row Paul Coartner, Don Chambers, Kevin Morgan, Shaun McKitterick, Coach Bill Prince, Dove Marceau, Charles Ward,
 Renae Raigoza, Chuck McGuffie, Second Row Tony Morgan, Wayne Ritter, Sherman Leoney, Dan Raybould, Lewis Carpenter, Burl Lester, Floyd
 Buckwalter, Danny Hodges, Robert Wickman, Tim Washburn, Brent Beene, Bottom Row Steve Mkesell, Radford Allen, Todd Mitchell, Art
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• Captain Troy McGuffie



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Captain Steve Martinez



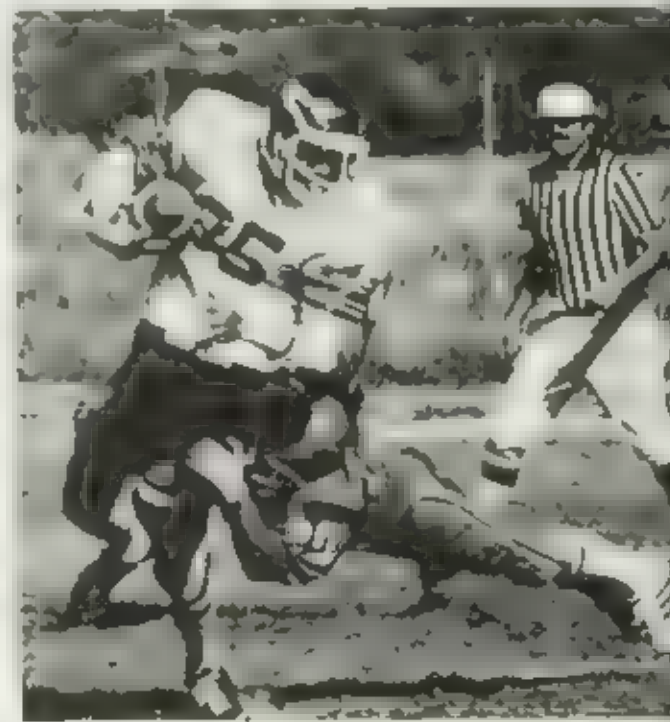
ROWDY, MEAN, AND TOUGH!

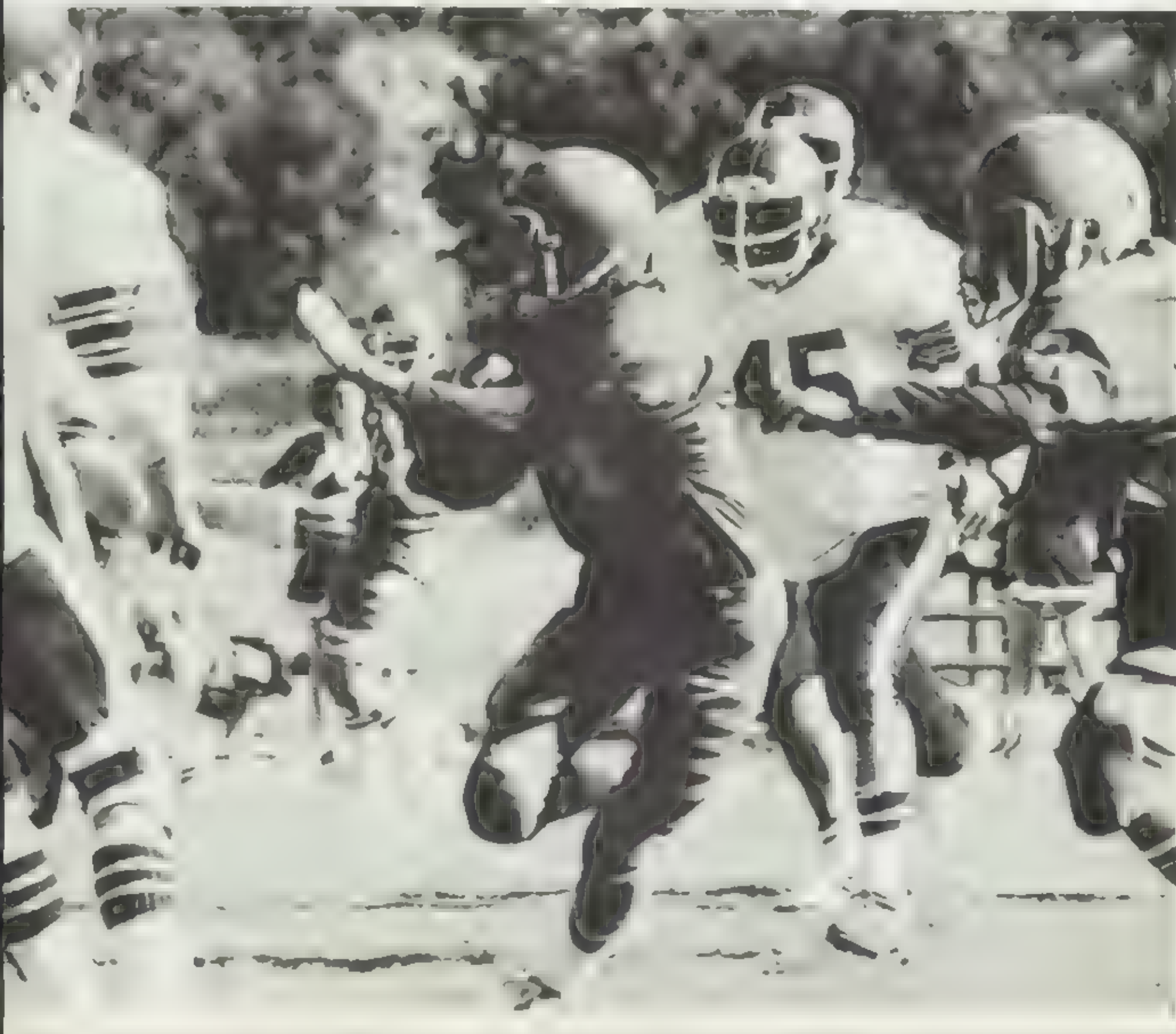


The 1979 1980 Redskins football teams enjoyed one of their better seasons in our school's history. "We are the Redskins, the mighty, mighty Redskins," was a favorite motto heard around campus, and we were proving it everywhere we went. "Everywhere we go, people want to know . . . who we are . . . so we tell them Boy, did they know our name" Redskins will be a name to be remembered. We as students can look back and remember our great teams and say, "I was a part of the Redskins."

All of the team members contributed to the effort that came forth, and were great enough to carry us to the C.I.F. championship game. We played some terrific games, made interceptions, recovered fumbles, scored touchdowns to the delight and happiness of our cheering supporters.

Loyalty, school spirit, and a little help from friends, keeps us in a winning way.

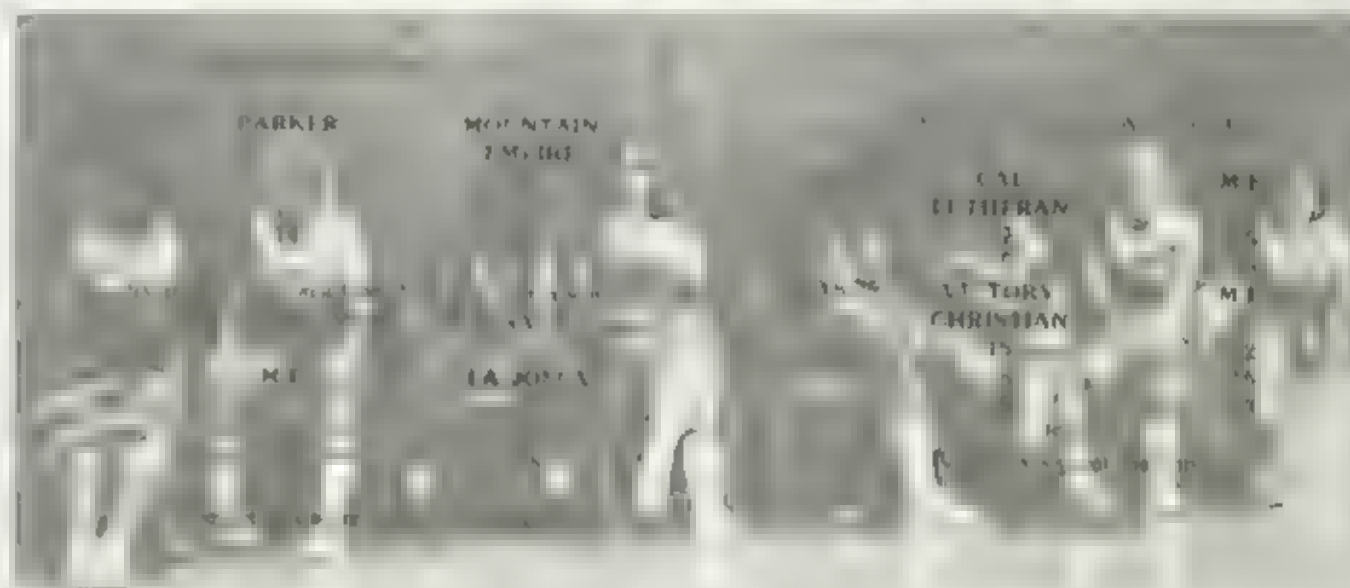




Set, Jump, Spike, Kill!

Volleyball is the first womens sport of the year. Many get enthused, and it results as a big turnout for the first practice. Mr. Bragetta the varsity coach and Miss Scott the Junior varsity coach, together give exhausting workouts each practice in preparation for the first league game. Excitement, spirit and team work is shown during these volleyball games. While coaches scream and team opponents cheer enough to blast your ears, concentration on strategy and skill is used throughout the game.

Ending in a successful season, the women loaded up on the bus and headed anxiously downtown to play in C.I.F. finals. Everyone back at the school had high hopes for them. La Jolla Country day, Julian and Parker were Mountain Empire's competitors in La Jolla. Mountain Empire won one out of three rounds; 15-13, making an explosive season.



JUNIOR VARSITY VOLLEYBALL TEAM

Top row, left to right: Terrie Tucker, Cathy McDaniel, Lorrie Jordan, Cherie Matesz, Johnna Zenger, and Renae Rock. Bottom row: Diane Price, Debbie Gordan, Sue Schwarten, Dana Peyton, Cindi Armstrong, Suzan Ortmeier and Cheryl White. Most Valuable: Cindi Armstrong.

Look! Up In The Sky, It's A Bird, Plane, No A Softball!

The team this year was composed of fifteen girls. Gloria McDaniel, a senior, was the captain and played third base, Lorrie Jordan, a junior, was co-captain and played centerfield. The other seniors on the team were Naomi Guzman (second base), Margie Perez (outfield), Tammy Bartlett (outfield), and Liz Vinson (catcher and power hitter). The other juniors girls were Evelia Macias (first base), and Dawn Woods (pitcher and outfield). The sophomores and freshman made up most of the team and showed

some promising talent

The sophomores were Denise Maupin (pitcher), Dana Peyton (short stop and power hitter), Cathy McDaniel (outfield), and Suzan Ortmeier (scorekeeper). The freshman were Terrie Tucker (outfield), Marley Packard (outfield), Cheryl White (second base and pitcher), Cherie Matesz (first base, outfield and catcher). The team played well all season and Miss Scott expects them to do even better next year since so many of the players are freshman and sophomores



The season started off well, but then the Redskins had a string of bad luck and lost a couple of games to teams they should have beaten. The Redskins recovered a come back to finish the season with a winning season. Top: Before and after. Bottom: Twilight zone

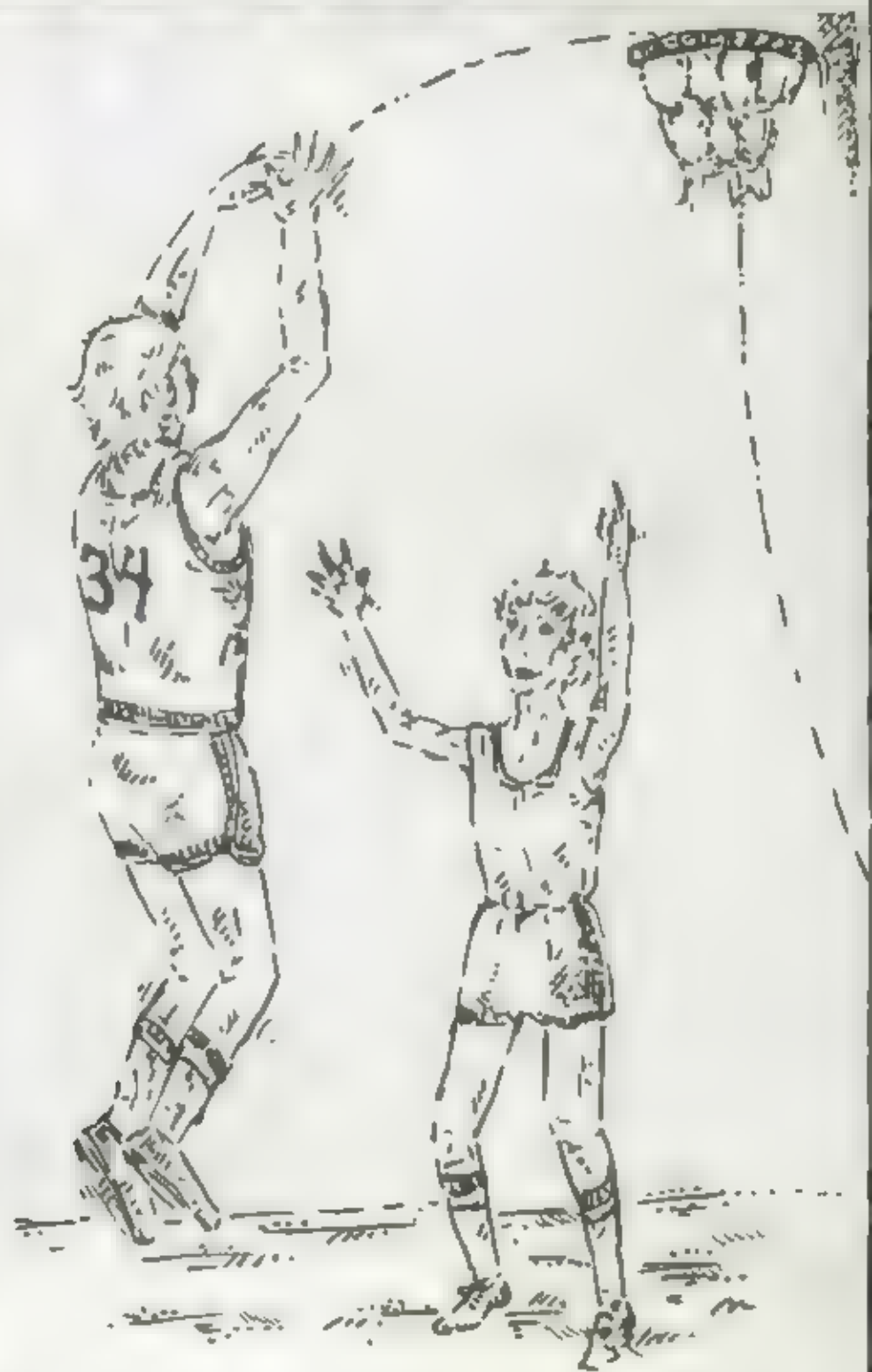


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Back row: Larry
Wainwright,
Front row: left to
Martin Norvell

Coach Chris Anderson, Anthony McClure, and Mike Jones

Mike Dwyer, Danny Jones, and Frank Thomas



Mr. A's Hoopers And Mr. T's Troopers.



The varsity basketball team, coached by Mr. Anderson, has become an exciting team to watch. Every league game has been close and filled with exciting basketball. The team has improved as the season progressed. In the beginning of the season the team was being blown out in a regular fashion. By the end of the season, every game had become a tough battle. While not ending with a winning record, all our opponents knew they were in for a basketball game when they came to play the Redskins. They played with pride. The Junior Varsity basketball team, coached by Mr. Thompson, has come along way from being lost. Even though they have been defeated a number of times, they still are a fighting team and they do not give up very easily.

In the beginning of the season, the team had its ups and downs. Learning new skills and techniques confused them. Hopefully, next year, the team will have more experience in playing basketball more efficiently.



Standing left to right: Steve Mitchell, Rayford Allen, Mike Jones, Coach Kent Thompson, Steve Miller, Jon Williams, Brian McDowell. Front left to right: Tom Barry, [unclear], [unclear], and Robert [unclear].

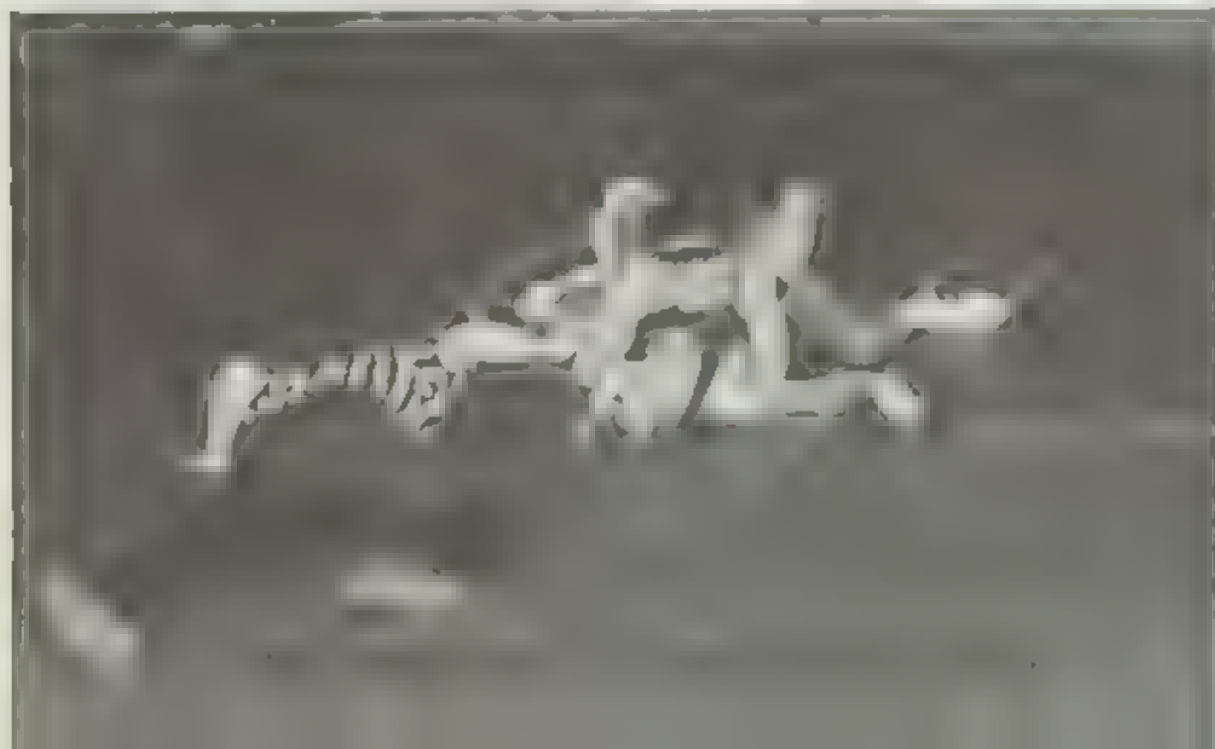


League Champs For Ten Years



"Twist 'em like a pretzel! Show 'em how to wrestle! — pin 'em-pin 'em!" Wow, did Mountain Empire ever show our league how to wrestle! Not only was our league impressed, but many other schools and teams were as well. Our spirit, strength, and high placing told all, that we are number one! The hard work the boys put in each day after school from 2:00 to 5:00 with Mr. Miller pays off with

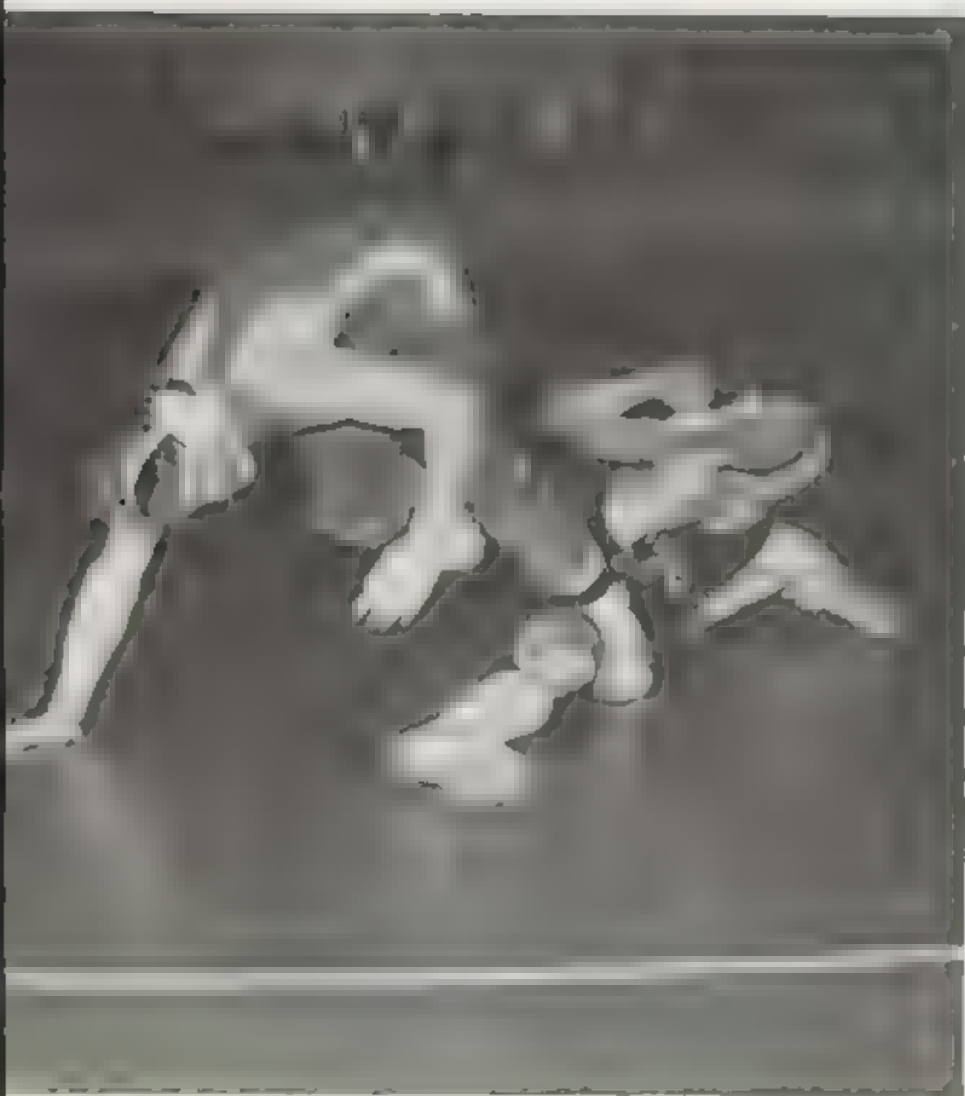
high awards in league tournaments. Mr. Miller has coached the Mountain Empire wrestling team for nine years and each year the team seems to be improving more and more. So far we've been C.I.F. Champions for nine years and we're working on the tenth. It shouldn't be too hard to receive our goal with the great support of parents and students.



Coach, Mr. Mike Miller



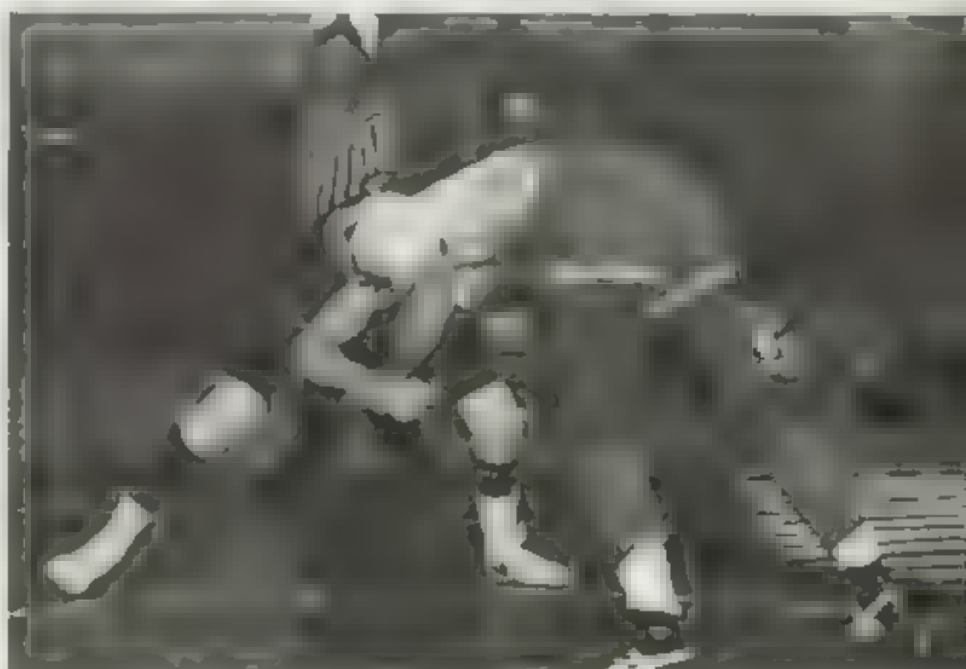
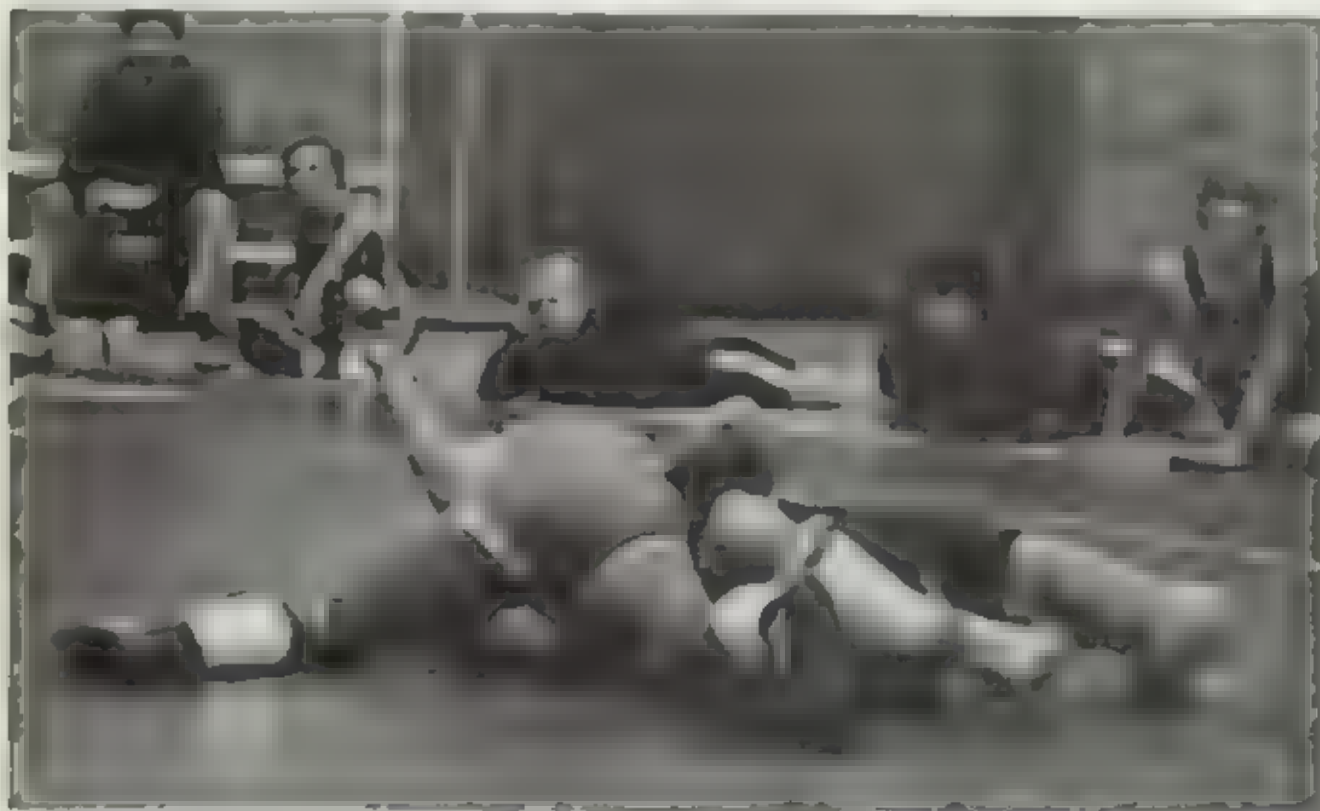
Top left: Bobby Carpenter, Top right Mike Fowler, Center left: Art Hernandez, Center right: Hugh Lester.

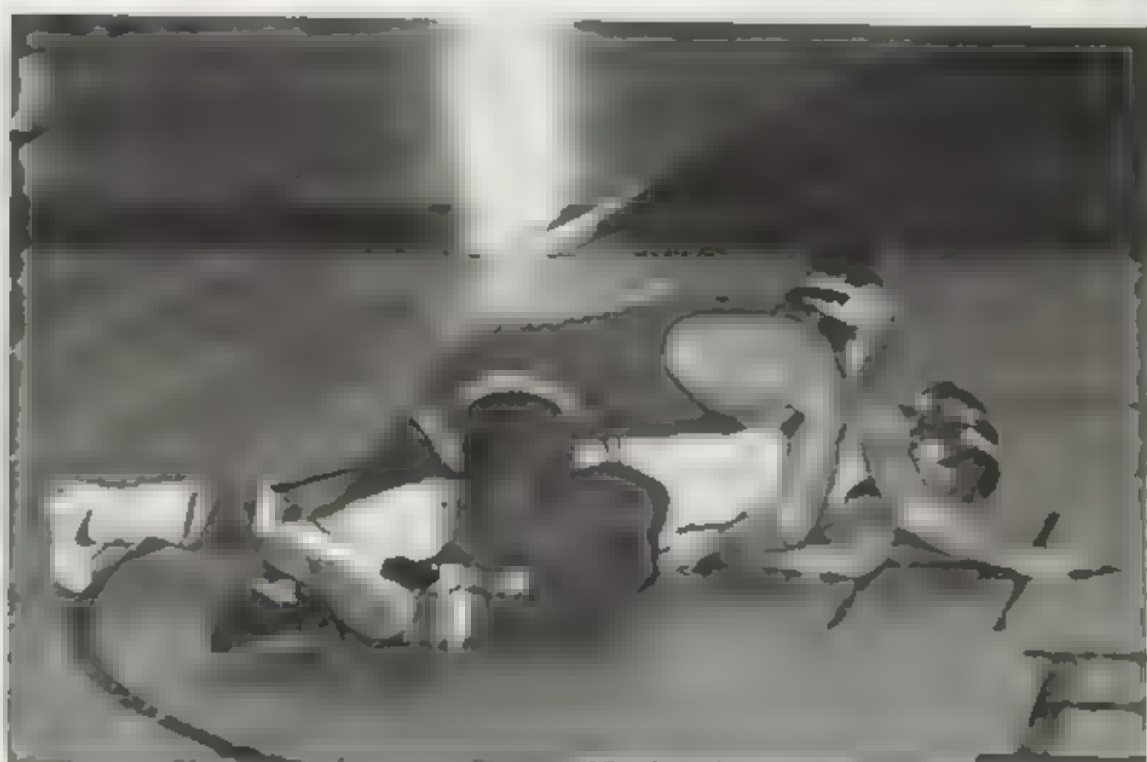


Bottom left: John Meyer, Bottom right: Andy Macias.

A Decade Of Success!!!

1. It's bad enough wrestling a two-legged, but a four-legged!
2. FACE THE NATION!
3. This is the pits! You need a deodorant that works overtime
4. Have you ever pinned a tale on Christian?
5. I wish you guys would stop dancing!





1. I told you I don't hold hands on the first date!
2. No! I don't want to play horsey
3. Time to go night-night now
4. Gee! We hardly know each other

Baseball Prepares For Repeat Season

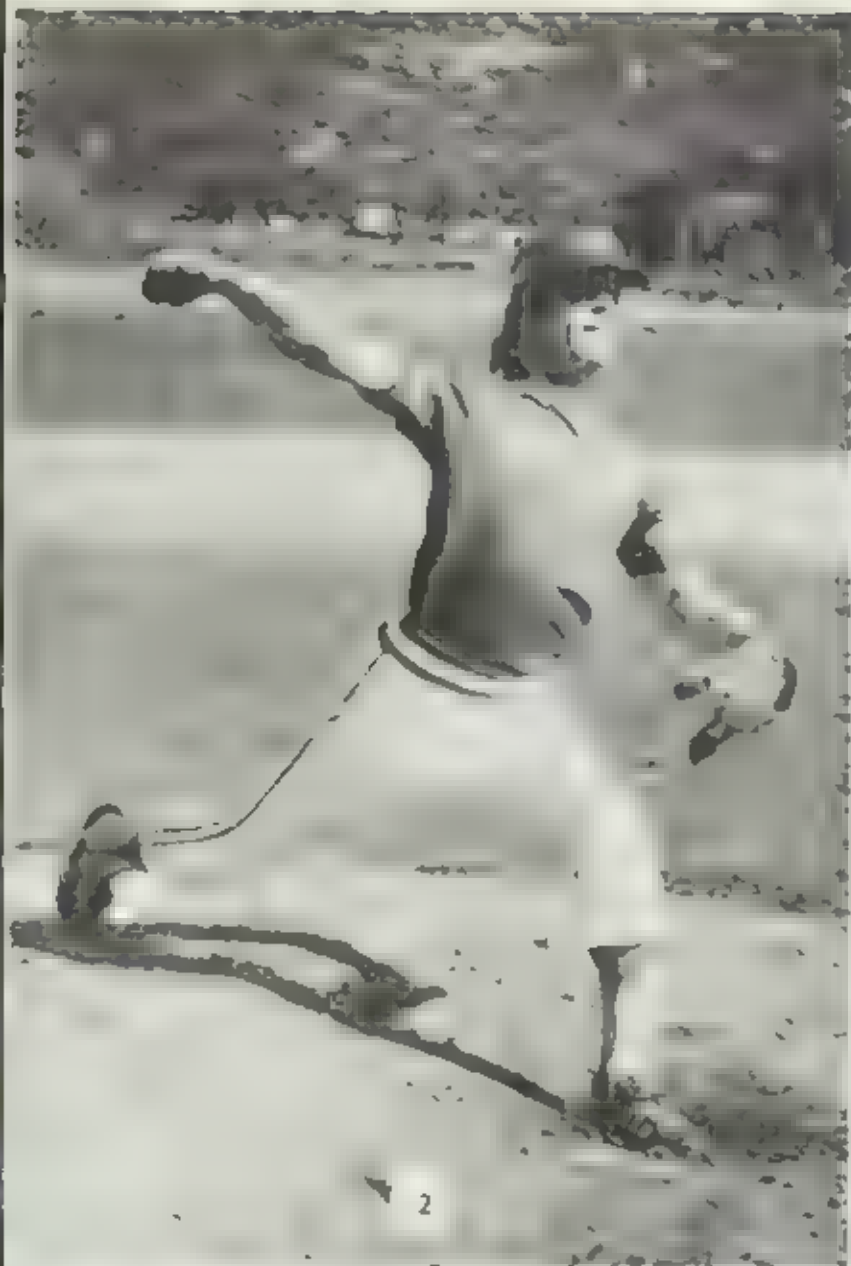
For the first time our baseball team went to C.I.F. The team played against Christian High flattening them with a score of 2-0. The winning pitcher was Mike Davis with a two hit shutout. Coach Bill Prince said it was very exciting to play in C.I.F. and took a lot of cooperation and team work. This year they should do well and will be in C.I.F. again if their pitching holds up and aggressive batting prevails. This year's players are as follows: Mike Davis (pitcher and catcher), Hugh Lester (catcher and center field), Roger Wammack (first base and pitcher), John Price (second base), Dan Raybould (second base), Steve Martinez (shortstop), Dan Mady (shortstop), Joaquin Gonzales (third base), Mike Fowler (third base and pitcher), Bob Rock (left field), Ed Coffey (left field), Tom Harkness (center field), Bob Price (pitcher and right field), and Brian McDowell (right field and first base).

Although Baseball season started off with very wet weather and some of the games were canceled or rescheduled, the team went on playing and defeating many teams.

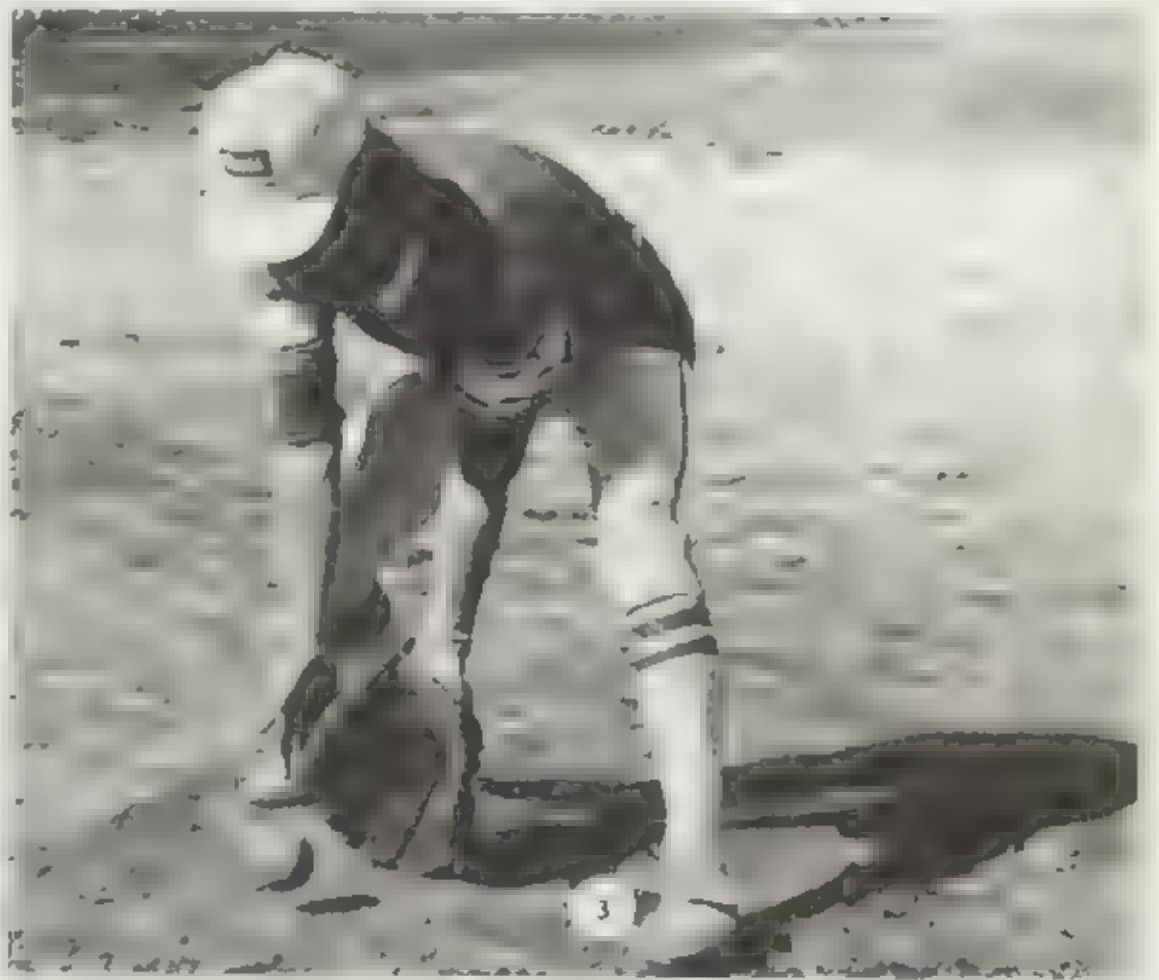
Over the years we have watched these young men develop and grow in to fine athletes, and baseball was not a sport we failed in. In fact, there is a possibility that Mike Davis and Joaquin Gonzales are candidates for baseball scholarships.



Back Row Left to Right — Coach Bill Prince, Steve Martinez, Danny Mady, Brian McDowell, Mike Davis, Bobby Price, Roger Wammack, Danny Raybould, Joaquin Gonzales, Tom Harkness
Front Row Left to Right — Hugh Lester, Eddie Coffey, Johnny Price, Bob Rock, Mike Fowler



1. Steve Martinez stretches out for a great catch. 2. Bobby Price heaves the ball over home plate. 3. Joaquin Gonzales gobbles up a grounder. Opposite Page: Mike Davis shows his superb pitching style.





Row left to right - JoAnn Cain, Jani Mady, Rachel Gorski, Liz Vinson, Debbie Gordon
 Terri Lavesque, Lorrie
 Row left to right - Jessica, Marie, Eackard, Tommy Barrett, Tammy, Dawn
 Kelly, Becka, Dempsey
 Bottom Row left to right - C, Robin, D, Peyton, Amy Chavez, Lynn, Linda K



Row left to right - Jason, Wade, John, Mike, Jeff, Tim, Ryan, Ryan
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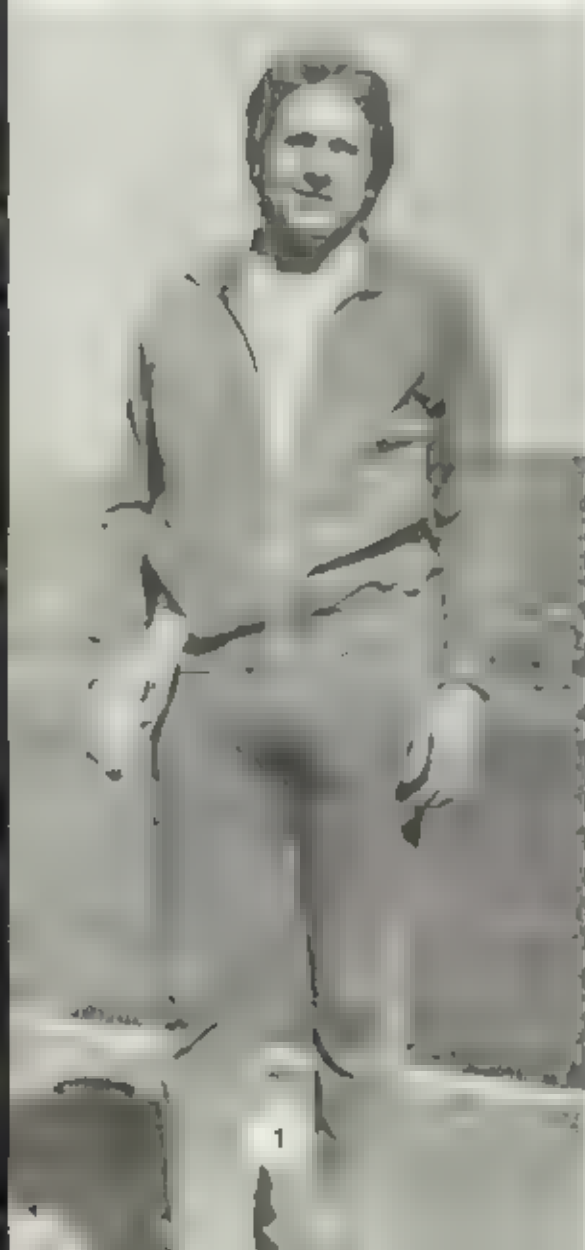
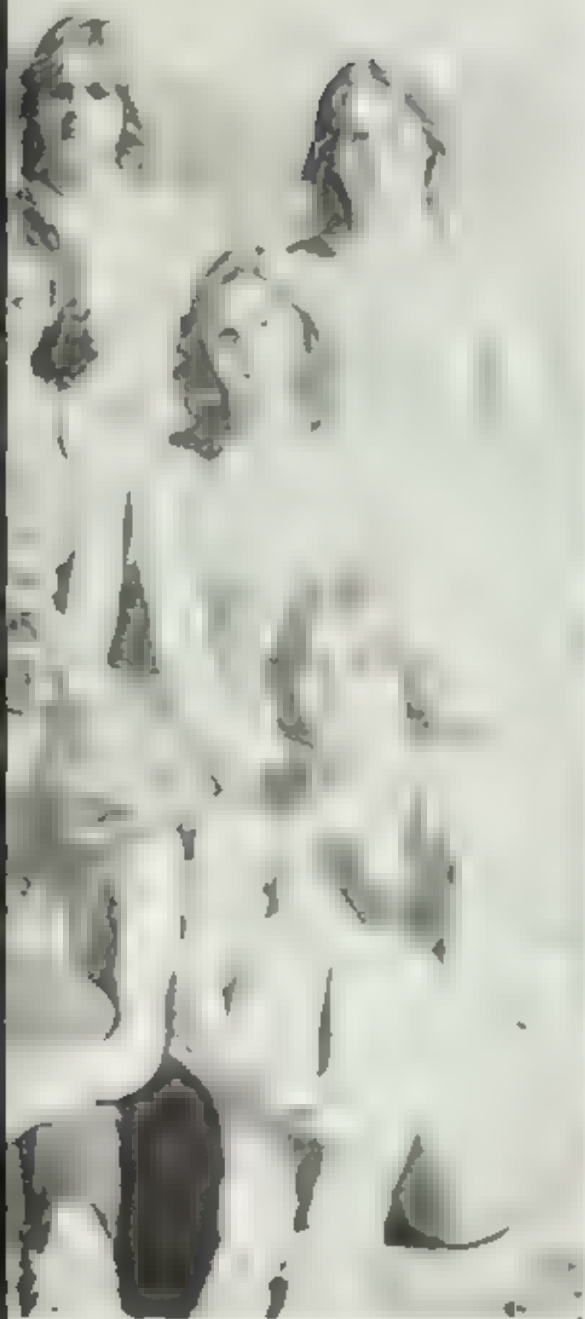
Track Teams Unite For A Furious Fight

The 1980 track team has increased in size compared to the previous years. Many athletes have become interested in track

Mr. Thompson, a new teacher at Mt. Empire, is track coach for this year. He gets everyone really involved by participating in all events. The track members practice daily to improve their abilities, such as running, jumping high-low hurdles, shot-put

and discus. We are looking forward to next year when the track team will join the desert league. Some of the teams we will be running against are Holtville, Calapatria, San Pasqual, and Imperial.

1 Coach Kent Thompson. 2 Jennise McCain, Becky Dempsey, Linda Kor, Holly Ross and Rachel Gorski warm up for track events. 3 Les Barrios and Rene Ragoza tripping the track together.





From left to right Dana Peyton, Cherie Matesz, Dawn Woods, Liz Vinson, Tammy Bartlett, Jackie Jones, Denise Maupin, Sue Schwaren, Gloria McDaniel, coach Barbara Scott, and Nannette Neumann



The girls basketball team was the best the school had seen in a long time. The varsity squad started the season with a tournament at Francis Parker, the first tournament any girls team had ever entered. The team's performance all season was outstanding and with most of the starters returning

Coach Barbara Scott had this to say about the team, "They are a devoted group of athletes and I enjoyed working with them. They played fast paced, exciting basketball, and proved to be tough competition for every team we played"



Tennis And Girls Basketball Furnish Spirited Action



Left to right: Kim Miller, Debbie Coffey, Martin Norvell, Coach Chris Anderson, Mike Jones, Albert Montero, and Eduardo Sanchez. Not pictured: Shelly Wagner, Tracy Meehleib, Kim Lattery, Don Chambers, and Anita McGuffie.



Anyone for tennis?

The 1980 tennis team off to a swinging start Pine Valley courts. Coach Chris Anderson helps each team member with the basic skills and technique it takes to be a good tennis player. Volley, serving, backhand, forehand, lob, and watching the ball are just some of the skills and technique used in every game.

Our team meets some of the toughest teams in San Diego county. Bishops, Francis Parker, El Capon Valley, El Capitan, and Valhalla are just a few of the teams that Mt. Empire plays.

Players returning into the swing of things are Shelly Wagner, Albert Montero, Tracy Meehleib, Don Chambers, Kim Lattery, Martin Norvell, and Mike Jones. New players to the team are Eduardo Sanchez, Debbie Coffey, Kim Miller, and Anita McGuffie.

Lettermen And W.A.C. On The Attack



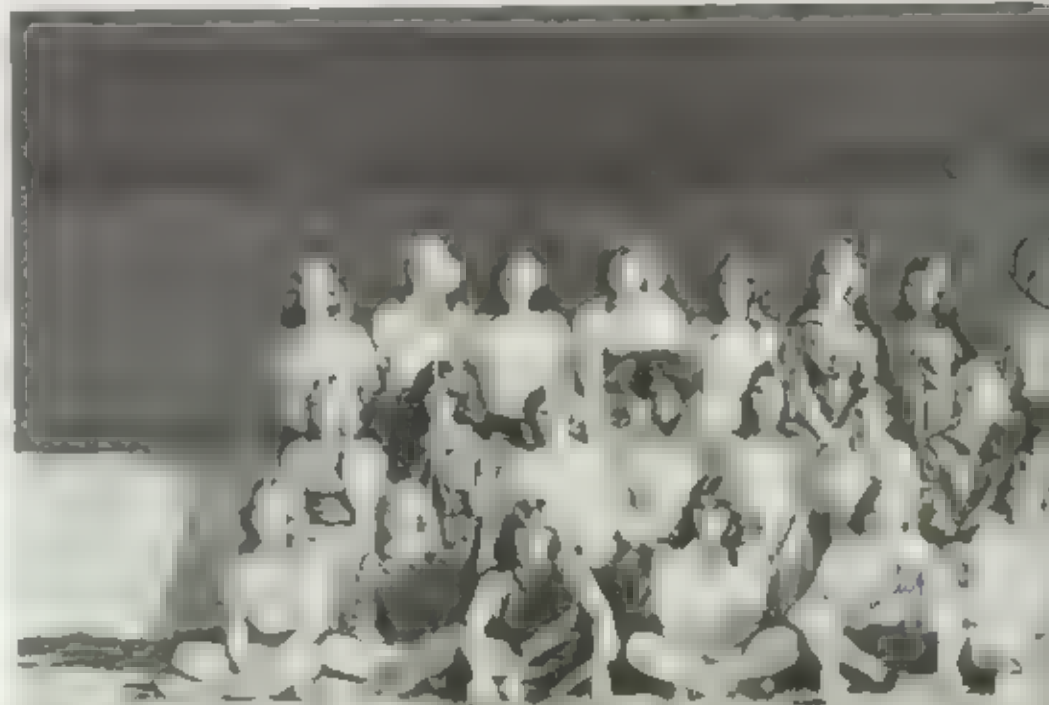
Standing — Curtis Dart, Hugh Lester, Frank Thomas, Johnny Price, Bryan Casinger, Clint Darnell, Barry Essex, Gaylen Miller, Danny Mady, Todd Hetrick, Bill English, Chuck Mady, Bobbie Price
Second Row — Mr. Prince — Lettermen Club Advisor, Charlie Elms, Roger Wammack, Steve Matez, Glenn Ledgerwood, Mike Davis, Steve Martinez.
Sitting — Troy McGuffie, Tony Briarton, Joaquin Gonzales, Mike Fowler, Frank Meyers, Bobby Carpenter



The Letterman's Club is among the many fine clubs provided at Mt. Empire. Becoming a Letterman is not an easy thing to do. The members have obtained a varsity letter for one or more of the high school sports on campus. The club remains active through money raising efforts ranging from a car wash, holding an awards and recognition banquet, to their annual dance and selling of the Redskin baseball hats. The advisor of this exciting club is William Prince and the officers are as follows: President, Roger Wammack, Vice President, Todd Hetrick, Secretary, Frank Thomas, Treasurer, Charlie Elms. The club is small, however, they are looking forward to getting many new members and planning more activities for the following years.

Women's Athletic Club is a organization of girl athletes who participate in girl's sports such as Volleyball, Softball, Basketball, Track, and Tennis.

This club increases in number each year. This year the total number of members is a whopping 25.



Third Row — Robin Penland, Debbie Kerrison, Narelle Newmann, Liz Vinson, Tammy Bartlett, Karen Kor, Naomi Guzman, Rache Gorski, Lisa Washburn
Second Row — Dane Price, Kim Lattery, Beck, Dempsey, Dana Peaton, Betty Garbani, Margie Perez, Anita McGuffie, Cheryl White, Josephine Nolte
First Row — Lorri Jordan, Renae Rock, Jeri Sayotovich, Evelia Macias, Sheri Wagner, Gloria McDaniel, Dolores Nolte.

Hey! Pep Club,

This year the members of the Pep Club are working their hardest at remaining one of the most active clubs on campus. Through the hard work and dedication of the clubs commissioner, Faith Anderson, and with the help of her assistant Anita McGuffie, the members are enjoying every minute of their time spent together cheering our Redskins to victory

Left: Top Row — Beth Tiffany, Jennifer VanMeter, Gloria McDaniel, Catherine Davis, Dawn Braghetta, Freya Renaker, Evella Macias, Patty Wineski, Becky Nunnery, Jerry Fisher, Sally Bayarley, Leslie Olson, Rachel Gorski, Debbie Coffey, Lisa Washburn, Kim Lattery, Diane Miller, Ruth McNider, Donna Cioffi, Liz Vinson, Chuck Mady, Jacqui McDaniel, Todd Hetrick, Mr Miller — Pep club adviser. Second Row — Jessica Hicks, Janet Ritter, Dolores Nolte, Josephine Nolte, Lora Hammers, Kim Miller, Annette Felton, Becky Carey, Linda Garst, Yvonne Magnusson, Lynette Page, Tina Metevier, Tammy Mummert, Kelly Sayotovich, Cindi Schlumpgerger, Janice Thomas, Pam Schlumpberger, Laurie Minnick, Chris Keating, Lorri Jorden, Naomi Guzman, Anita Thomas. First Row — Lori Davies, Terri Tucker, Cherri Dudley, Barbie West, Middy Ballard, Valerie Kemp, Stacey Swift, Marley Packard, Anita McGuffie, Faith Anderson, Nanette Nueman, Becky Dempsey, Tammy Bartlett, Crystal Noblin, Jerry Sayotovich, Jackie Mady, Sue Schwarten, Terry Lynch, Linda Kor



Drama Is Our Name, Performing Is Our Game

Drama

Among the many clubs that are created at Mt. Empire, there is one organization that stands out from all the rest. This is the wild and crazy Drama Club. This club provides entertainment, enjoyment, and much laughter for those who attend the many plays that are produced.

The Drama Club puts in many long hours of work for each production of a play. They want to make sure every play is a smash. Committees are formed and they are off to a booming start. They become busy and committed to their work.

Being in a play means staying many long hours after school rehearsing.

The advisors that are behind Drama Club, and who make Drama the smash it is today are Mrs. Skinner, Mr. Parrish, and Mr. Loynd. They spend much of their leisure time working on each play. They make sure that each play is a success.

The Drama Club officers support every play, and help in every way they can to make a great Drama Club. The officers are as follows, President: Lisa Washburn, Vice President: Clint Darnell, Secretary: Dawn Braghetta, Treasurer: Lucy Tulloch.



Tree — Barry Essex, Debs Weiseger, Tammy Chevez, Lance Tozer, Floyd Buckwalger, Clint Darnell

Shoulders — Lucy Tulloch, Lisa Washburn, Laurie Minnick

Standing — Chuck Mady, Todd Hetrick, Gaven Miller, Jose Acosta, Becky English

Sitting — Danny Hodges, Rachel Gorski, Terri Pios, Gary Lachapelle, Tammy Hetrick, Mrs. Skinner, Drama advisor Dawn Braghetta, Ellen Swift, Liz Estes, Ace Pierson, Connie Thomas



Library Club

"Bookin' It All The Way!"

Library Club has many fine members who get involved with the club's many money making activities. This year the Library Club has really been on the move. They made big profit this year by having raffles, selling candy for Valentine's Day, also held and Easter luncheon for the teachers, and board members

The Library Club officers are as follows: President: Michele Manning, Vice President: Jeff Kite, Secretary Lisa Lopez, Treasurer: Lora Hammers, and Sgt. At. Arms: Mrs. Holloman



Standing — Leslie Starling, Michele Manning, Lavonne Meza, Linda Garst, Karen Anderson, Lisa Lopez, Vince Denhem, Matt Scully, Micheal Munsey, Alfonso Cota, Jeff Kite, Mrs. Miller, Library Advisor,
Sitting — Danny Ramond, Cheri Matezs, Vicky Patapaw, Edie Wassinger, Carrie Vick, Lora Hammers, Tim Hammers, Richard Rubio, Bob Rock, Barry Essex

Honor Society Knows Where It's At!



Third row: Mr. Braghetta, Honor Society advisor, Todd Hetrick, Gaylen Miller, John Taylor, Roger Wammack, Debbie Gordon, Becky English, John Morgan, Dana Peyton, Tammy Hetrick, Linda Kor, Karen Kor, Kim Lattery, Robin Penland, Lucy Tulloch.

Second Row: Dawn Braghetta, Lorri Jordan, Evaba Macias, Lynette Page, Jerry Savotovich, Suzan Ordmer, Lisa Muir, Sherry Wagner, Michelle Manning, Denise Maupin, Betty Garbani, Lisa Washburn, Tracey Meibe.

Third row: Josephine Nolte, Jennifer Van Meter, Anita McGuffie, Sue Schwarten, Yvonne Magnusson, Cherr Duffley, Kelly Sayotovich, Cindi Schlumpberger, Diane Miller.



Honor Society is perhaps the most active club on campus. Honor Society sponsored a Fifties Dance, which turned out to be a great success. Everyone boogied out on the dance floor to the sounds of Fifties music. They also had a bake sale in Tecate, Calif. There were many goodies to be bought. At the end of every year Honor Society has a beach party. This year was no exception. Everyone had a great time.



C.S.F. We're The Best!

C.S.F. is an honorary state wide federation. To be a member of this ever popular club, you must have a 3.0 grade average each semester. The smartest portion of the Honor Society members belong to C.S.F.

On February 22, 1980 they held a day at Disneyland for C.S.F., Honor Society and their guests

The C.S.F. is a very small group with fifteen members. You cannot be a C.S.F. member until you are in tenth grade. If you are a member for four years, and receive a diploma when you graduate you will receive a special golden seal signifying lifetime membership.

Standing — Mr. Braghetta, C.S.F. advisor, John Taylor, Todd Hetrick, Gaylen Miller, Betty Barbanl, Kim Lattery, Lisa Washburn, Robin Penland
Second Row — Dana Payton, Dawn Braghetta, Lynette Page, Suzan Ortmier, Lisa Muir, Diane Miller, Michele Manning, Denise Maupin, Lucy Tulloch
Sitting — Shelly Wagner, Lorri Jorden, Evelia Macias, Yvonne Magnasson, Anita McGuffie Tracy Mehlieb



Chess — Too Much!

Wow! This year the Chess Club is off to a good start. The new chess members are Craig Fracchiola, Paul Coartney, and Douglas Lane. Adding three new members to the previous sixteen, there is now a grand total of nineteen members

Concentration, skill, and experience is what makes a good chess game. The players really put forth a lot of effort in each game.

Practice makes perfect. Practice is what makes the Chess Club the great organization it has become.

Mr. Lane is the fine director of Chess Club. He makes sure every Chess tournament starts off with a boom and ends with a bang

The Chess Club officers are as follows:

President: Brian Casinger

Vice President: Steve Matesz

Secretary: John L. Morgan

Sgt. At Arms: Rick Morrison

A.S.B. Representative: Earl Kirby



Standing — Earl Kirby, Robert Kirby, Brian Casinger,
Second Row — Charles Hilgar, Rick Morrison, Johnel Morgan, Elbert Kirby



F.H.A.

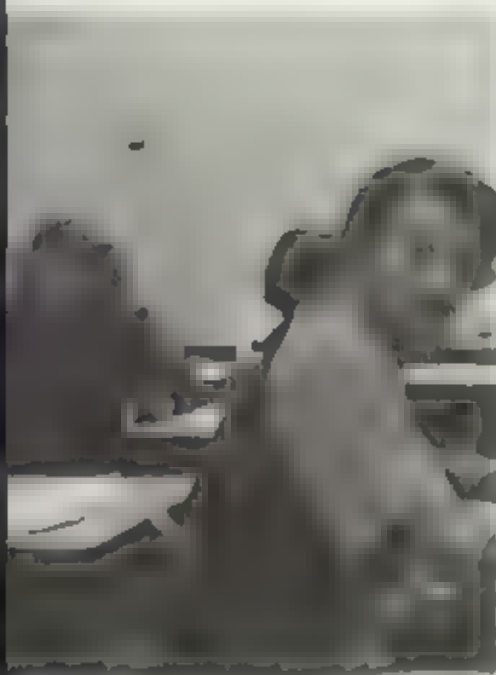
Future Homemakers of America is designed for students to learn more about becoming homemakers

F.H.A. raised money to go to the annual F.H.A.-H.E.R.O. State meeting. In order to do so, they had bake sales, a Chinese Luncheon for the teachers and A S B. They sold Valentine's Day cookies, and had other projects

The students in F.H.A. learn to cook, sew, take on responsibilities such as child care and housekeeping

The F.H.A. club officers are as follows:
President: Laurie Minnick
Vice President: Cindy Armstrong
Secretary: Trisha Dart
Treasurer: Valerie Kemp

Pictured — Troy Hatfield, Dorrie Dickenson, Laurie Minnick, Cheryl McClellan, Valerie Kemp, Trisha Dart, Randy Miles, Tonya Mummert, Jodie Fotland, Terri Pipes, Tim Hurley, Becky Carrie, Linda Garst, April Anglin



School And Community Service



Standing — Mr. Crandall, Andrea Hamilton, Gloria McDaniels, Todd Hetrick, Rene Raigoza, Becky English, Tammy Hetrick, Mr. Haas

Sitting — Marly Packard, Chern Dudley, Lynette Page, Suzan Ortmeir, Yvonne Magnusson, Denise Maupin

The Key Club is among the newest clubs at Mt. Empire. They have only a few members as yet, but the club continues to grow and may very well become one of the biggest clubs on campus. The purpose of the club is to help students learn more about communities in which they live, while helping and learning at the same time. They planned and held a Christmas Banquet, in December, also money raisers such as car washes and raffles and held an off campus dance at the Pine Valley Clubhouse. The earnings received from their efforts all go to help the communities in some way where ever needed. The President of the club, Lisa Washburn, was elected early in the year, and the Vice President, Yvonne Magnusson, Secretary, Lynette Page, and Treasurer, Denise Maupin were also selected. The Key Club has various plans in future years and hope to encourage more students to join them in their efforts.



Words Of Wisdom!

Trained and experienced students helping others students with their problems is what Peer Counseling is all about

To the students who cannot confide in adults, Peer Counseling is a good place turn. Because most students find discussing their Peers much easier. They can relate better and bring out their feelings. All problems discussed are confidential



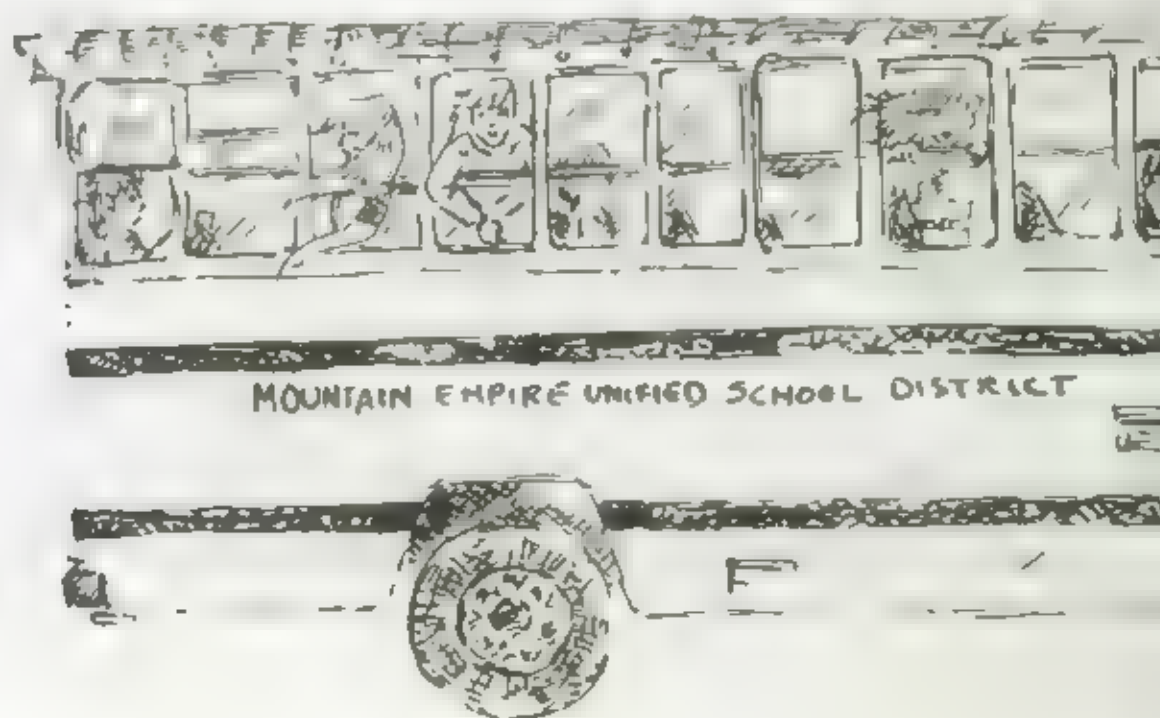
Above Center, Cindy Armstrong, Todd Hetrick Freya Renaker Left Ellen Swift Clint Darnell, Stephanie Sada, Bill English Lisa Washburn Above right Becky English Pam Hodgins Tammy Hetrick Above, Becky Nunnery Lance Tozer, Johnna Zenger Not Pictured Advisers Mrs Nord, Mr Parrish



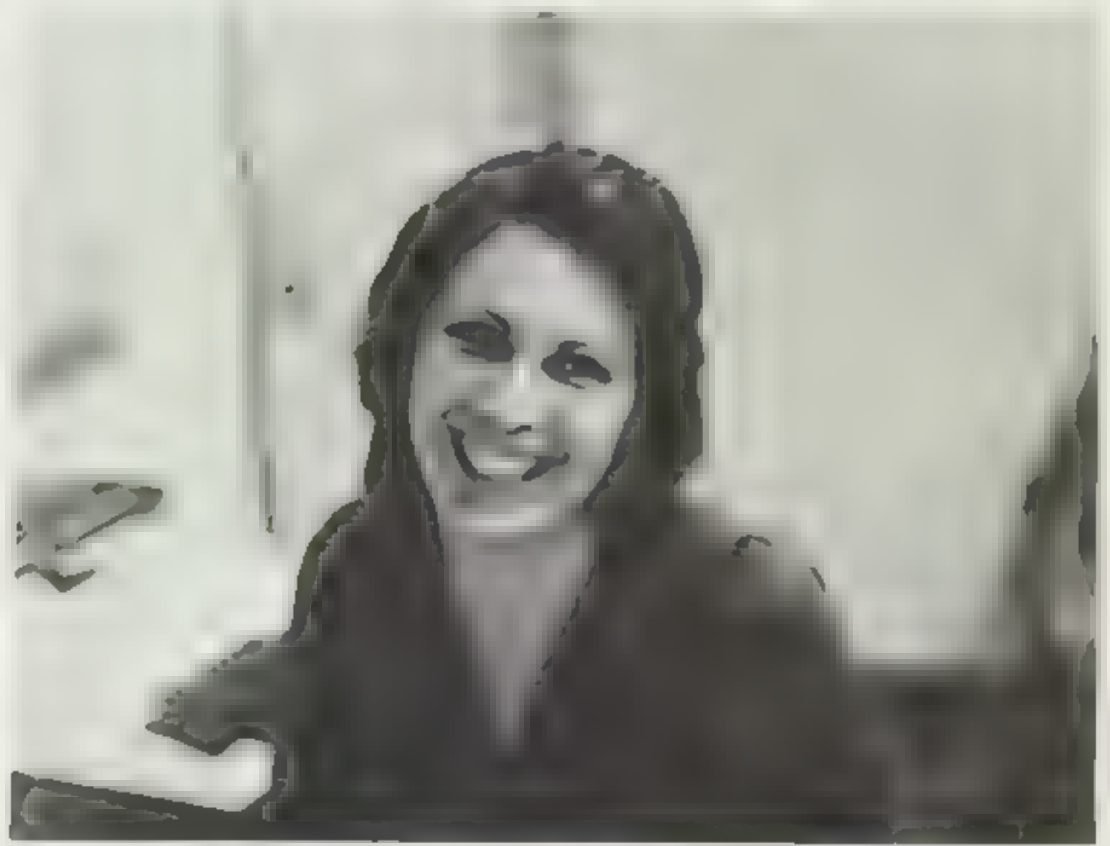
Standing: Karen Jarrell, Floyd Harris, Mrs. Long, Rito "Bandito" Perez, Julie Munn
Kneeling Ed Hill, Al Lei and Bill Morris. Not Pictured: Daisy Dawson, Henry Shirly, and Ellis Murphy "Demon Racer"



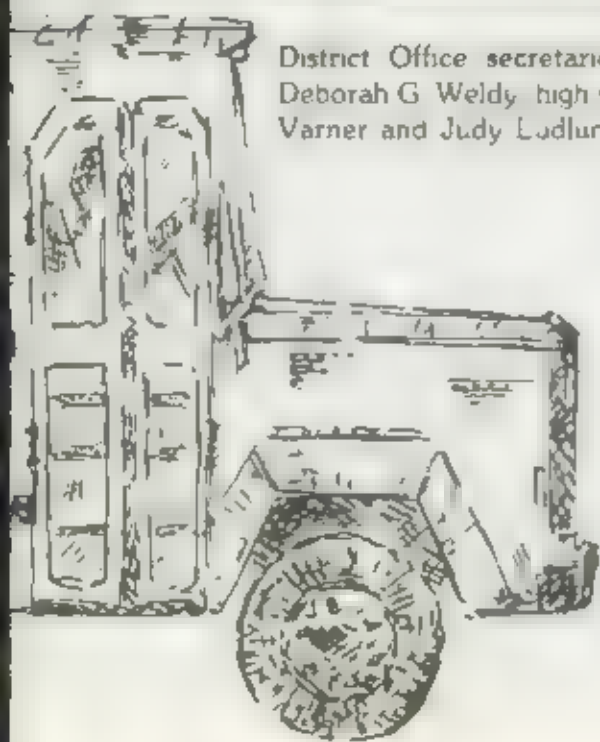
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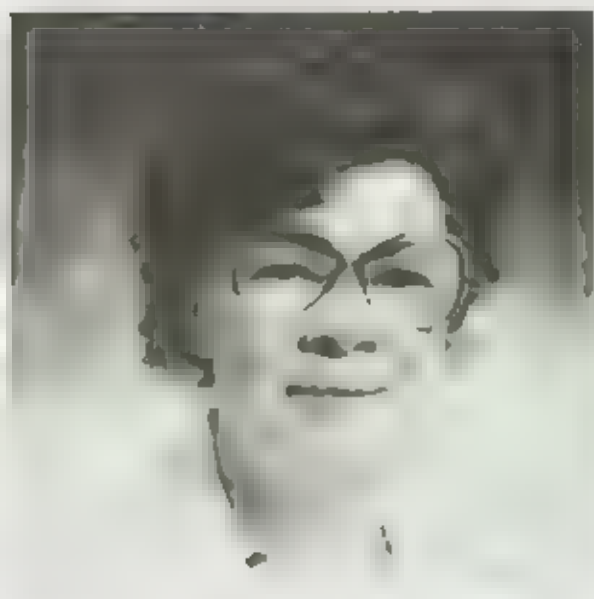
Going In Style



District Office secretaries, Sophie M. Francis, Deborah G. Weldy, high school secretaries, Anna Varner and Judy Ludlum



Behind The Scenes



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Mrs. Miller, Librarian



Mr. Parish Speech Therapist



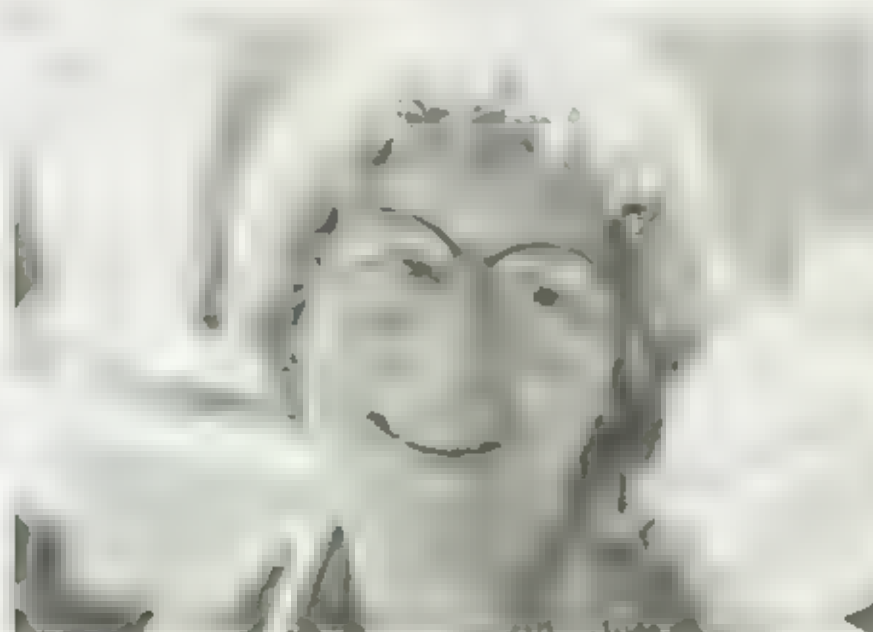
Mrs. Gleissner, Teacher's aide



Leering Librarians



Mrs. Keating, Teacher's aide



Mrs. Biddle, District Office.



Lunch already.



Mr. Alan Worthington, Custodian



Mr. Ed Hill, Custodian



Mr. Tom Head, Custodian



Mrs. Martin, Custodian



Charlene Mitchel is the manager/supervisor of the school cafeteria. She does a little bit of everything, working from 4.30 AM till 1.30 PM. Mary Ponchot started last September as the assistant manager. She cooks mainly entrees and desserts. She also packs the two hundred fifty lunches that are sent to seven elementary schools. Lea Wainscott bakes all the rolls, cookies, and breads. Liz Ragen makes all the salads and takes care of the snack bar. Loretta Cummings works part time helping out with everything. Non Long is the substitute coming in when one of the workers can't make it. These six ladies make up our cafeteria staff and do a tasty and fine job preparing and serving our lunches.

"Look! Found some more peanuts down here."



WE DEDICATE THIS BOOK . . .

This year's 1980 Echo yearbook is dedicated to Richard D. Loynd. Mr. Loynd has been teaching for twenty five years. He has taught fourteen at Mountain Empire and eleven at a private school in Tucson, Arizona.

Mr. Loynd attended Brigham Young University majoring in English and Sociology. He teaches English two, three and four. His favorite class being English four. Single handedly, Mr. Loynd sponsors and practically runs the senior class activities. He spends long hours directing school plays, such as "My Three Angels" and "The Sound Of Music".

The grand finale of the year is the Senior Graduation, and Mr. Loynd is responsible for caps, gowns, diplomas, and the success of the ceremony. We the staff of the 1980 Echo wish to thank Richard D. Loynd for his more than two decades of service in the teaching profession.

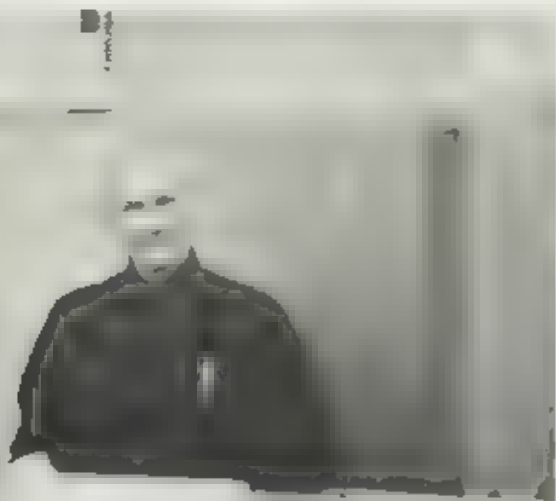
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George Capatanos, Superintendent, Richard Looney, President Philip Matthewson, Vice President and Bruce Leary, Clerk.

The policy makers of the Mountain Empire school district decide the courses of study, the curriculum and the proficiency that is required. They choose the textbooks for the students to use. The board meets the second Wednesday of every month, at 7:00 for their private meeting and 8:00 for the general meeting.



Jim Woodward

As the years go by and life takes its course, most of us will sit back and reflect on our high school days. However, while thinking of the friends with whom you'll keep in touch, and the ones you'll have to leave behind, you'll begin to think of the people who really helped you. Remember the teacher you had the crush on for so long?

the coach with whom you became best friends? or, the vice principal who stayed on your back all year? These are all members of the faculty, and the faculty of 1979-1980 is certainly one to be remembered. Everyone on the staff really stood behind the students to make Mt. Empire number one



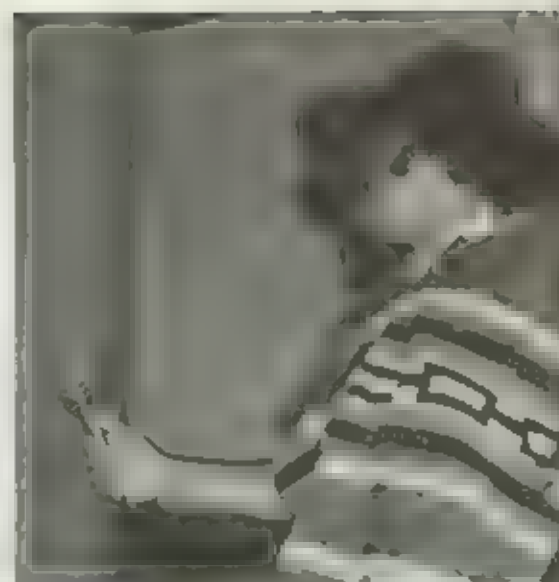
The teachers stayed active throughout the year, and were active during Homecoming, in which they achieved a third place in the the Freshmen Spirit Tape contest. They showed their true Halloween spirit as Miss Scott fooled everyone with her witch costume, and Mr. Miller, who hosted the Dress-up contest, was dressed up as Mr. Guess Who?

Mr. Prince, otherwise known as "Mouse", has been the Master of Ceremonies for various assemblies, including the Sophomores \$1.98 Beauty Contest, the Junior Gong show, and the Yearbook 'Yes' assembly, in which Mr. Lane was also a participant

Many of the teachers at Mt. Empire have been with us for a number of years. Mr. Loynd, Mr. Schramm, and Mr. Buda are among the few who have been here over fourteen years.

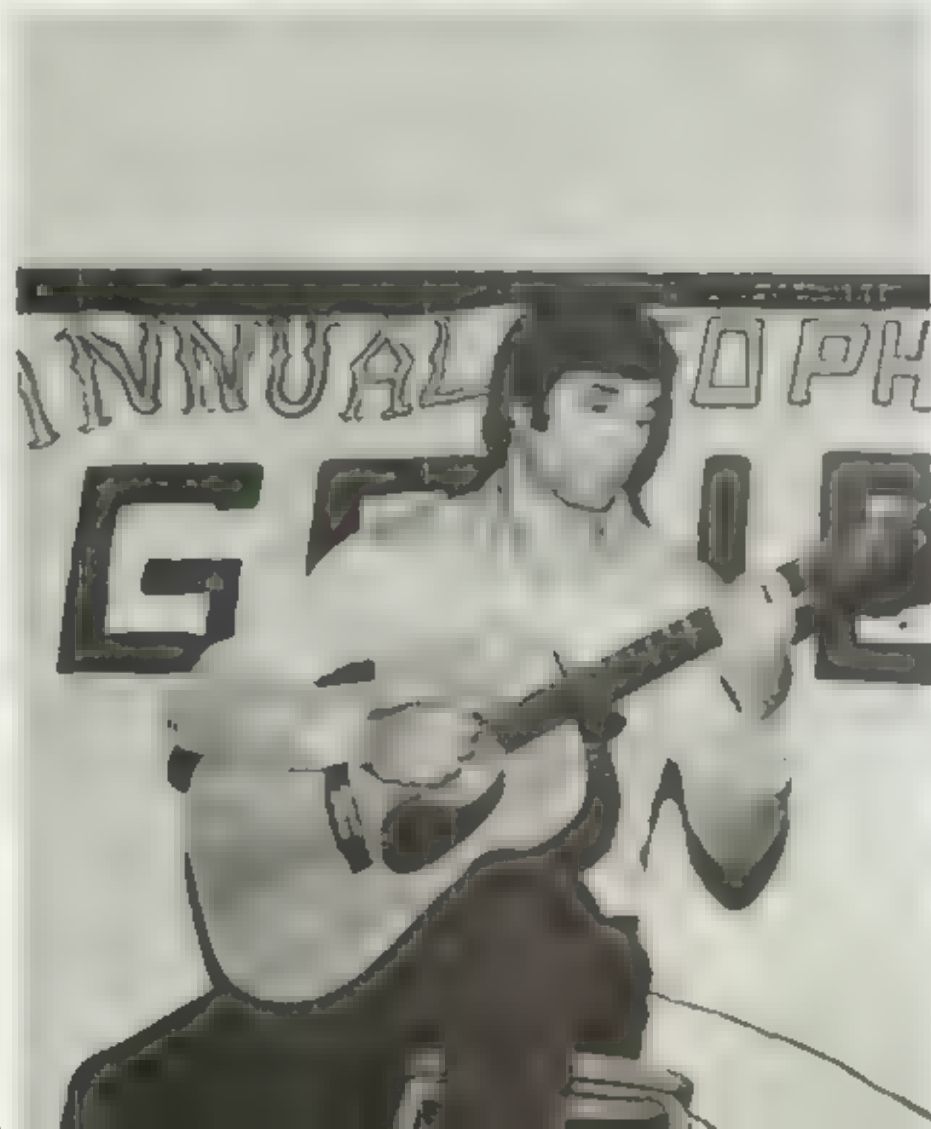
The majority live in the Campo-Pine Valley area, but there are a few such as Mr. Brown, Mrs. Bernal, and Mrs. Folmer who travel as far as San Diego, Paradise Hills, and La Mesa

Many of our educators obtained their degrees from San Diego State University, however, some of them did earn their degrees elsewhere. Mr. Prince graduated from William Jewell University in Missouri, and Miss Scott came here after graduating from the University of Kansas. Mr. Lane was a graduate of Roosevelt University



where he earned his B.A., and then proceeded to Northeastern University where he achieved his Master's Degree in social science

Together with the students, the faculty and staff have worked hard to achieve a very successful year.



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"Yum my 12th fried goldfish"



"I just love teaching here"



"Get your hair out of your face"



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"Anything you say Mr Brown zzzz"



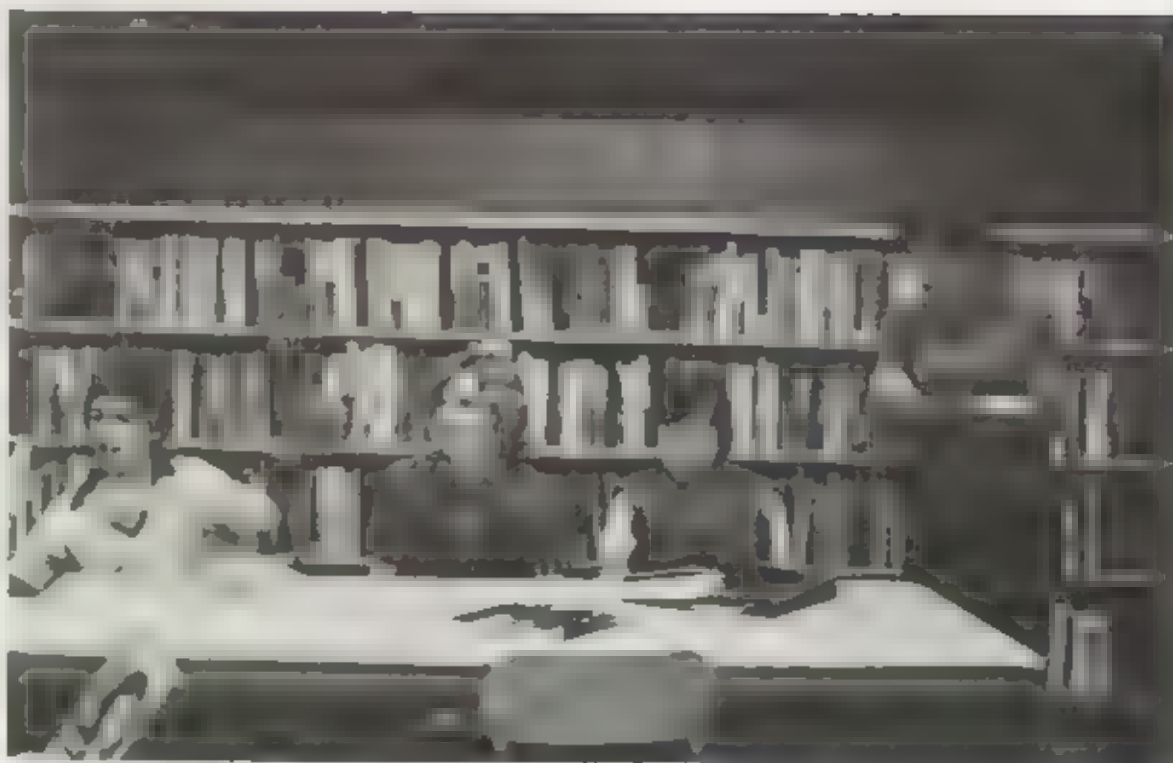
"I told you to 'toot 'toot it' not 'boot it'!"



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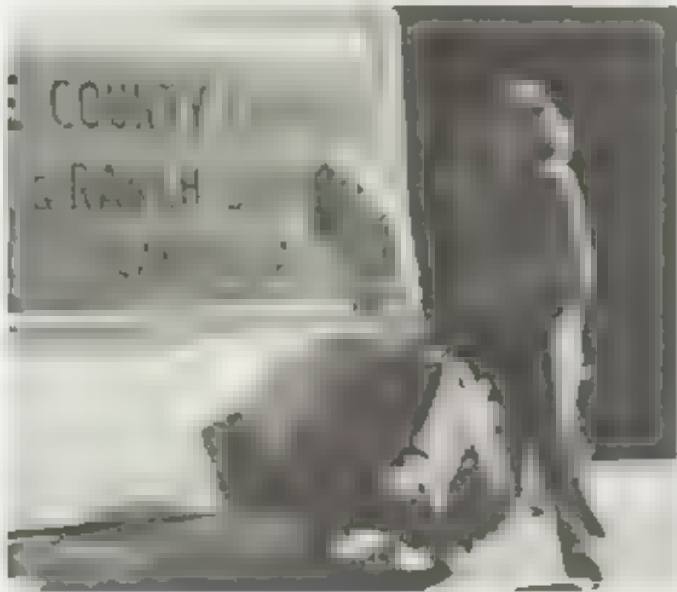
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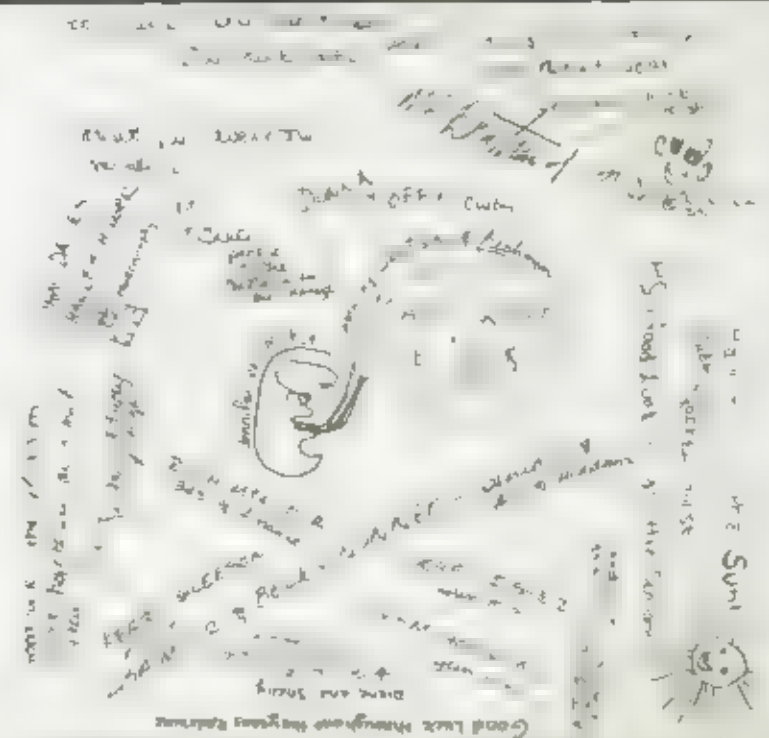
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Good Times . . . Happenings, Thoughts Of The Past . . .

To my friends who care, Love ya all, Lisa M., Julie, Karen,
Love Chuck'

Jennifer — I'm glad we got to know each other I hope we stay good friends.
Bob

Scott Allen Hicks, I told ya you'd be in our year-book, pay up in advance buddy

Here we go out into the world See ya, Nanette & Deb
Luv' Chuck

Joaquin, Chrleie, Mark, Jackie, & Crystal, Have a nice summer, see ya next year
Cyndie

Joaquin, Cyndie, Jackie, Crystal, and Marley — Thanks for being such good buddies this year
Love Christie

To Jackie, Christie, Cyndie, & Marley — Thanks for being so good of friends this year
Love Crystal

Nanette Neumann and Debbie Coffey — To two people who made this year primo. You're really nice to know
Andrea H

John Charles Mady, To a great friend, who I hope to have more crazy times with Keep in touch
Andrea H

Lisa & Chuck, Have a great time after you've escaped this zoo. We'll ride in a Limo someday
Lucy

In loving (?) memory of Todd's Bunny Hop He'd never make it as a rabbit
Todd knows who

Bob: You're a terrific guy, with the cutest smile I'm really glad that I met you this year and I'm glad you're a junior so I can see you one more year
Take care
Love Jennifer

Dear Lucy, Chuck, Anita T., Lori, Terry P. You bunch of Dorcas, I am really going to miss you a lot
You better keep in touch and never forget me
Love Lisa

Renee (sis), I'll always remember you and consider you my best friend. Always remember our great time together please keep in touch through the years and write to me over the summer Friends forever,
Fer

We'll always be friends, Andrea, Donna, & Fred
Love Chuck —; I'll come visit both of you in Arizona, Lucy & Lisa. We'll even go skiing"
Love Chuck

Freyer — To one of my best friends. Don't forget all the great gossip and good times. Keep in touch.
Andrea

Donna Cloffi, I am glad we became friends. You are such an easy going and super person all around. I will always remember the wild and crazy things we did. For instance, "the Ford" and the discos we went to on weekends. I know we will always be in touch. When you graduate next year, you better consider me your roommate. I will never forget the party you gave me for my 18th birthday That was something very special to me. Thanks so much. Take care and don't forget to keep in touch
Andrea H

Faith Anderson, To one of my closest friends. I am so glad you get to graduate this year I know we will always be in touch. You have made the days of my Senior year very fun and full of good times. Don't forget all the things we did this year. For example, that night at Mt. Laguna at Nanette's. Those were some nights. I hope everything works out with you personally. I want you to know that you will always be a friend to me. Take care and good luck always.
Andrea H

Terri Pipes — "Memories of Four" — To "P.P." Remember the times and places we shared And remember how much we all cared We made it through Elms, Wesley and Wonderville And when you think of memories I guess we had our fill Don't ever forget that wonderful summer The beach, movies, and that unlawful slumber So here it is your last free year And believe me we made it the best of all So have no fear
C. Armstrong "Bug"

To Laurie Cloffi: your a super sweet person Friends always, Annette Felton. Hi Renee, Your sister

Andrea Hamilton, Thanx for always being the one to turn to. I'll never forget you & I'll always consider you as my best friend. Please remember all of our "Funny Memories" that we shared. It will never be the same without you, especially the "Ford" (piece of junk) I'll never forget the discos or all you taught me. I can't wait until we are roommates. Keep in touch and I'll always love ya
Don-Don

"To Julie Janssen" Remember how I always said that great things never last? Now you see what I mean. You were the best friend I ever had. Take care

"To Floyd Buckwalter"

For always giving but never expecting to much in return. Stay golden. Take care
Love, Christi

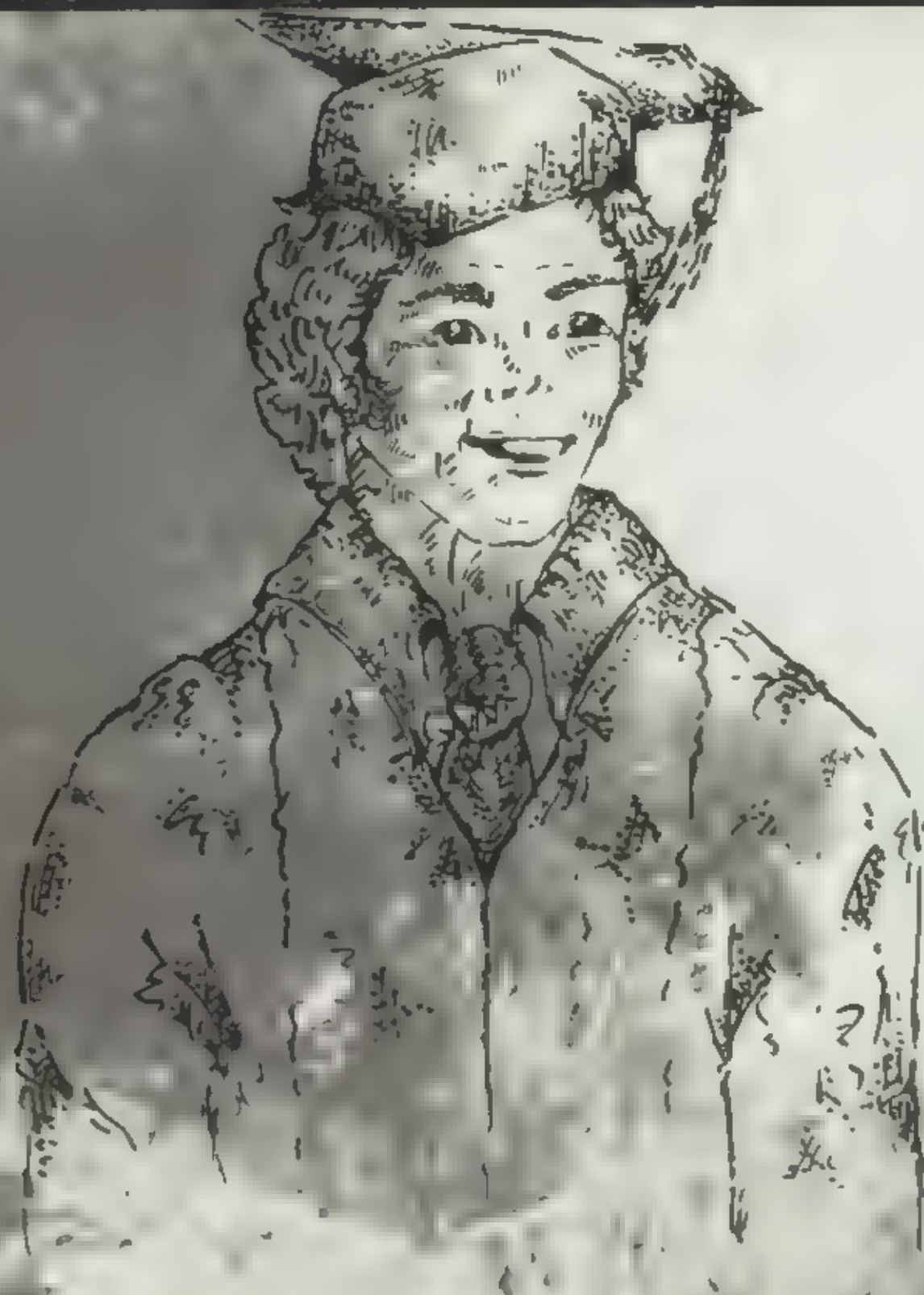
"To the people at Mt. Empire" For making me feel very at home here, and giving me the time I needed

Dear Chuck and Nanette, Your friendship has been a very beautiful and growing experience for me. There've been many times and memories that I'll cherish forever. Things such as the movie "Silent Scream", Nanette's party, Andrea's party, Donna's party, Bali Hai — Jan 17 with A.S.B., etc. But now we leave it all behind and go on to new things in the future. Hopefully our plans for going on our own will soon be a reality. I wish you both the best of luck always in whatever you do.
All my love, Debbie

"A friend is all I ask" to a very special person To a very special friend that knows who he is
Thank you so, for helping me understand that life is only as rough as you make it, and showing me the way to stand alone.



By Shirley Yi



We have turned many corners in the course of this year. The staff of 1980 Echo hope that you are pleased with our efforts to record and give a lasting description of these corners. To our graduating seniors, we wish you success in all your life's endeavors.

In addition to thanking the yearbook staff for their hard work in putting together an outstanding book, especially Dave Miller and Shelly Wagner who stayed after school many times to insure meeting deadlines. We would like to thank Mrs. Forner for using her type writers, Mr. DeClair for dragging us all over

the area to obtain ads. Mr. Williams for advice and changing deadlines. Karen Kottor for all the descriptive artwork, Freya Renaker, Steve Muese, Chuck McGuffee, for many of the photographs, Mrs. Engstrand for guidance in producing the book, and the faculty of Mt. Empire for their cooperation in taking of group pictures and having our staff interrupt classes.

We are proud of the 1980 Echo and the work that many students have done in order to make this an extremely successful year.

Hi Matt,

How have you been?
Well can't think of much
else to write so have a
fun summer and I'll
see you next year.

Love always

Laurie Mui

to a cool guy
that has problem
for school & sports happy
after summer in 4-4
this year. Switch up
the best of luck in
everything! I'm going
to miss everybody here

Love
Laurie

Matthew,
Have a great summer
vacation, have a great
Senior Year too.
Keep on smiling!
Love
Kerry

Hey Matt!
I wish I would of
known to know you - cause
I've heard of funny stories
about you from Danny and these
guys. Enjoy cool - Big Smiles next year
Have fun in the summer!
Love
Kerry

Matt,

Too bad we weren't
around each other
as much as we were
last year. Have it
was fun! Stay out
of trouble

Love
Laurie

So what the hell Matt,
It's been a hectic year.
Doing long in the rest area
and partying it up. Take
it easy this summer and
have fun. Later On

P.S. Party
Hardy

Andy Zonta

to a real nice guy.
 Take care of your
 self and don't
 get into too much
 trouble. Take care
 love always,
 Deyo Kinakel

Matt,
 you a real super
 dude guy. I am so
 glad that I got to
 know you these past
 years. We will have
 to make the most of
 next year since we
 will be big seniors.
 Have a great summer
 Take Care

"81" Bud
 Butler
 Bud Butler
 Quito

Matt,
 well we've
 made it so we
 well I hope we
 have more good times
 in the future.
 Love
 "81" Lisa West

Matt
 your such a sweet
 guy. Love.
 Monique Bally
 82

11/11,
 is a guy who
 got out going
 trip with a girl
 summer

Matt,
 It's been really
 nice knowing you
 this year. I hope you
 have a great summer.
 Take care of yourself.
 Stay safe & have a
 great future.
 Love
 "81" Sweet
 See ya
 Jimmy Jr

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Matt, a nice
up and you
hope to see this
at parties, we will
summer, we will
have to party hard
next year, and don't
do chicken, take care
'81' have your
Rules friends fully

Matt, one heck of a
your good friend too!
give a good friend too!
I'm really glad I got
to know you this year.
Good luck next year +
Take care of yourself.
Love ya.
Laura
P.S.

Love ya
Laura
P.S.
I hope we can party
together sometime.
Love ya
Laura
P.S.

